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A company has been formed with a capital of $200,000 to take over the Belleville Milling Company, of Belleville; also Cory & Co., of Frankford. The company will have a storage capacity in the two elevators of 70,000 bushels of grain. They will buy local grain each year that is offered by the farmers and manufacture it into ground feeds of all kinds, also the scratch feeds, dovisip meal, laying meal, chick feed, and all other lines for which there is demand. The company will make buckwheat flour, for which there is a large demand and good profit in making.

AUBREY EMERY AGED 18 OF MILLHAVEN, KILLED

TRUCK LOAD OF LUMBER UPSETS ON HIM.

Pinned under a small load of lumber when the Bath stage turned turtle in the ditch directly in front of Frank Collins' place one and a half miles east of Bath, Aubrey Emery, aged eighteen, was crushed to death. The stage was being used to transfer lumber from Ernestown to Bath.

The deceased was lying on the back of the load. He had little or no warning when the truck capsized. The driver, Fred Sams, was thrown from his seat, but escaped with only a few scratches. No reason can be given as to what caused the accident as no one was there to witness it. The truck was not loaded to its capacity, as it is a large truck. The road is quite narrow and is slanting. It also was slippery owing to the late rains.

Immediately Mrs. H. S. Northmore and Maybee were called, but the young man was dead. They did not deem it necessary for an inquest to be held as death was instantaneous.

The deceased is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Emery, of Millhaven, also a nephew of Robt. Hickey. He had lived in Millhaven all his life, where he was well known. The funeral took place from his late residence on Friday at 3 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Hillman officiating. Interment took place in the family plot at Wilton.

CAMDEN EAST.

Plenty of rain has been experienced here, with a particularly heavy downpour on Tuesday last.

Mr. Ross McKim, of Watertown, N.Y., is visiting his uncle, Mr. E. M. McKim.

Mrs. Fred Russell, Miss Jessie Saul and Miss Beatrice Clay have returned from Toronto.

Mr. Ted Allore has sold his residence on Factory Street to Mr. M. Hinch. He intends going to the States to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGarvey spent Sunday last with Mrs. McGarvey's mother, Mrs. Emily McDonald.

A number from here took in the Napanee Fair.

Mr. Lundie Hinch left on Sunday last to visit his mother in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hartman spent Sunday last with friends in Wilton.

MARLBANK.

Our school has opened again with two new teachers in charge.

Owing to so much rain a lot of farmers still have some grain in the fields, but the threshing machines are going full blast.

Monday last was a busy day here as the afternoon was given for sports and games and a big dance was held at night in Jordan's hall. The proceeds are to be used to put in street lights, which are much needed. Rain kept many away, but a large crowd was present. The ball game between Marlbank boys and Enterprise boys was real interesting as it was played in the rain. The score was 20-4 in favor of Marlbank. The girls' game was not played.

Mrs. Maxwell entertained a number of her friends from Detroit on Monday last.

Mrs. W. Wilson has been confined to her home for some time with a bad attack of quinsy.

Mr. W. Kirkpatrick is having a new barn erected on his 8th line.

Mrs. W. Richmond and young son, of Tamworth, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Yates.

Mr. W. Revelle shot four ducks one day recently.

Miss Florence Allen, of Toronto, is visiting her many friends around here.

Miss Kathleen Allen has gone to spend the fall and winter with her sister at Lakefield.

Miss Grace Revelle is home again after spending some time in Watertown.

Mr. Jess York is sporting a new car.

MOSCOW NORTH.

We are having plenty of rain at time of writing.

Mr. Wesley Keech had the misfortune to lose one of his cows, also Mr. Henry King. There are a number of sick cows in this neighborhood.

A number attended Divine service at Moscow on Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Harris, Napanee, is spending some time visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Ali. Cousins, Mrs. Orindia Kellar and grandson, of Enterprise, took tea at Mrs. Rufus Wagar's on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Storey spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vanvolkenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown spent Tuesday at Enterprise.

Mr. Norman Jackson, Mr. Wellesley Coulter and Mr. Wellington Coulter spent Sunday at Arden.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Degroff and Miss Verla Brown spent Sunday visiting Miss Mary Grozier at the hospital, Kingston.

Mrs. Wellesley Coulter and Miss Violet Arney spent Wednesday at Napanee.

Miss Madeline Wagar, Enterprise, is spending some time with her friend, Miss Ilah Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Curl spent Tuesday afternoon at Colebrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wagar, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vanvolkenburg spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Vanvolkenburg's father, who is seriously ill.

Genuine Creonoid Fly Oil in bulk at $1.00 per gallon at DAVY & ALLISON'S.

TWO QUESTIONS TO VOTE ON, OCT. 23RD

CONTINUANCE OF O.T.A. AND SALE UNDER GOVERNMENT CONTROL SUBMITTED TO VOTERS.

Two questions only will be on the ballots used by voters on Oct. 23 in deciding the fate of the Ontario Temperance Act, which has been on the statute books since 1916. As had been generally expected, citizens of the province are to be given the opportunity of passing upon a system of Government control.

The questions, as announced by Premier Ferguson, following a three-and-a-half hours session of the Cabinet, are to be as follows:

"Are you in favor of the continuance of the Ontario Temperance Act?"

"Are you in favor of the sale as a beverage of beer and spirituous liquors in sealed packages under Government control?"

DESERONTO

While engaged in chopping ice at the Thomas McWain fish receiving and packing plant on Friday morning, Robert Hall received severe injury to his leg, when the chopping cleaver slipped and striking the leg entered deep into the flesh. An artery was severed which caused considerable loss of blood. First aid was rendered by those at the plant and Dr. H. A. Boyce was called for attendance after which the young man was taken by car to his home. The injury will necessitate his confinement to his home for a week or so and his retirement from active work for about a month.

Mr. H. G. Watson, of the Stewart House, is visiting his brother at Schenectady, N.Y.

There was a good attendance at the Deseronto market on Saturday, weather conditions making work on the land almost impossible.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Oliver and children, of Orillia, were motor visitors to Deseronto and territory over the week-end.

The quantities of fish shipped from Deseronto are daily increasing. Saturday's shipments were almost three tons. The whitefish are all of fine quality and are mostly billed by express to American cities, chiefly New York. Fishermen claim the early arrival of whitefish in Bay of Quinte waters, indicates a late fall.

Miss E. Waddingham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Waddingham, Lonsdale, is confined to her home through illness.

After a few days' business visit to Ottawa and in attendance at the Ottawa Fair, Mr. D. H. Marcelle and Mr. Charles Thompson returned by auto to their homes in Deseronto and the "Pines."

Mr. Harnden, box manufacturer, Deseronto, is loading a carload of fish boxes confined to Georgian Bay territory.

Mr. H. Williams, Toronto, reports good attendances in Deseronto over the week-end.

Mr. Morris Palmer, of the Canadian National shops, Lonsdale, was a week-end visitor to his family and friends in Deseronto.

The placing of stone on the Provincial Highway through Deseronto will commence early this week as the grading work is rapidly progressing.

The Market Grocery.

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DENBIGH.

Mr. S. Wittig, a student of the Lutheran Theological Seminary, of Waterloo, who spent ten weeks of his three months vacation here, conducting services in the Lutheran Church every Sunday, one in the forenoon in German, and one in the evening in English, left last week for Waterloo, to resume his studies, accompanied by his friend, Mr. F. Finance, of Kitchener, who had spent a week here chiefly to pay Mr. Wittig a visit and to make his return trip pleasant.

Rev. C. F. Christiansech, of Toronto, also spent a couple of days here and took Mrs. C. and the children who had enjoyed a couple of months country life with relatives and friends here, home again.

Miss Bertha Stein spent a very pleasant week visiting relatives and friends in Ottawa, Eganville and Renfrew, and is now teaching school in S. S. No. 7.

All the schools in this municipality are in operation again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ball, of Oswego, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. A. Tomkins, of Napanee, who were welcome guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Faik, and enjoyed a pleasant family reunion here, have returned to their present homes.

Mr. H. D. Bryan and Mr. A. Weinecke, of Rochester, have arrived, the former on his annual fall visit to Denbigh and the Denbigh House, the latter to enjoy a couple of weeks with his parents at his old home.

Mr. M. Ready, who enjoyed a months' rest at his home here, has returned to Kirkland Lake to resume his cooking operations at the mines there.

Miss A. Lane has returned to North Bay to resume her studies at the High School.

Dr. Wilson, Dentist of Perth, spent again a couple of very busy days with his patients at the Denbigh House.

REGISTRATION OF OLD BOYS AND GIRLS

(Continued from last week)

Austin, Miss Mary C., Denver, Col.
Ackerman, Mrs. C. L., Belleville
Albertson, Nelson, Hardington.
Albertson, Mrs. N., Hardington.
Albertson, Clarence, Hardington.
Albertson, Greta, Hardington.
Allison, H. J., Picton.
Bradshaw, Mrs. W. H., Corbyville.
Boyes, W. E., Lachine, Que.
Brethen, Claude and wife, Demorestville.
Blatherwick, Irene, Belleville.
Baker, G. C., Ottawa.
Baker, Alex., Ottawa.
Barrager, Sol, Smiths Falls.
Beck, John, Merriton.
Beck, Mrs. John, Merriton.
Bell, Lake D., Hamilton.
Bell, Mrs. J. D., Hamilton.
Bellhouse, Mrs. W. A., Kingston.
Bellhouse, Miss Agnes, Kingston.
Benn, A. F., Brule Lake, P.O., Ont.
Benson, D. R., Belleville, Ont.
Bowen, Mr. Gilbert H., Toronto.
Boyes, W. E. Lachine, Que.
Bradshaw, Mrs. W. H. Corbyville, Ont.
Breycott, Mrs. J. B., Montreal.
Brethen, W. H., Norwood, Ont.
Brethen, Mrs. W. H., Norwood, Ont.
Brethen, G. A., Norwood, Ont.
Brethen, Mrs. G. A., Norwood, Ont.
Burgoyne, Miss Nellie, Kitchener, Ont.
Burritt, Mrs., Toronto.
Bushnell, Frank S., Scotia, N.Y.
Bushnell, Mrs. E. H., Scotia, N.Y.
Bushnell, Mrs. F. S. and son, Scotia, N.Y.
Bushnell, W. M., Scotia, N.Y.
Cliff, Fred B., Toronto.
Caton, Miss., Toronto.
Card, Mrs. F. E., Lesleyville, Alberta.
Caiazzo, Frank, Schenectady, N.Y.
Carson, Mrs. Frank, Toronto.
Clark, Mrs. Nettie, Marlbank.
Cowan, H. P., Toronto.
Craig, Miss Rita, Passadena, Cal.
Cronk, Samuel, M., Detroit, Mich.
Cronk, Mrs. W. B., Alton, Ill.
Corlett, C. J., Adolphustown.
Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur, Kingston.
Cummings, Fred, Deseronto.
Cummings, Mrs. B., Deseronto.
Garrison, Mrs. N. R., Brantford, Ont.
Dagleish, Marjorie, Campbellford, Ont.
Daly, Mr. R. O., Toronto.
Daly, R. A., Toronto.
Daly, Mrs. Emily, Toronto.
Daly, Mrs. R. A., Toronto.
Davis, Mrs. A. E., Toronto.
Dalton, Mrs. Thos., Belmont.
Dawson, George, Odessa.
Delong, Mrs. S. L., Consecon.
De Marse, Mr. and Mrs. John, Oshawa.
DeMille, Rev. C. W., Oshawa.
Detlor, J. E., Newburgh.
Dirkinson, Mrs., Montreal.
Doller, A. V., Kingston.
Douglas, Mrs. Joe, Detroit, Mich.
Downey, John, Belleville.
Downey, Mrs. John, Belleville.
Evans, J. and wife, and daughter, and Mrs-in-law, Watertown.
Edgar, W. H., Norwood Grove, Mich.
Edgar, W. B., Camden East.
Fraser, Mrs. Sarah, Watertown.
Fennell, C. S., Thomasburg.
Fennell, Mrs. Robt., Norwood, Ont.
Fennell, C. S., Thomasburgh, Ont.
Fennell, Mrs. Robt., Norwood.
File, Dr. A. J., Amelisburgh, Ont.
File, Mrs. F. C., Amelisburgh, Ont.
File, Mrs. Florence, Amelisburgh, Ont.
Fralick, C. H., Trenton, Ont.
Fraser, Mis Mary, Montreal.
Fraser, Mrs. G. A., Asotin, Wash.
Frisken, Mrs. James, Shelton, Wash.
Galbraith, Mrs. E., Port Colborne, Ont.
Galbraith, Elmore, Port Colborne, Ont.
Galbraith, Guy, Port Colborne, Ont.
Garrison, Norman, Brantford.
Geroux, A. E., Hamilton, Ont.
Gerow, Grant, Rochester, N.Y.
Gordon, James, Toronto.
Graham, Frank, Point Anne.
Gunsolus, Harry, Peterborough
Gunsolus, Mrs. Harry, Peterborough.
Gilligan, R. L., Shannonville.
Gilligan, Mrs. R. L., Shannonville.
Grange, Robt. W., Toronto.
Halliday, Mrs. John, Belleville.
Hassard, A. R., Toronto.
Hassard, Mrs. A., Toronto.
Henry, D., Rochester, N.Y.
Henry, Mrs. J. D., and Miss Dorothy, Rochester, N.Y.
Higby, Harlowe, Rome, N.Y.
Higby, Miss Delilah, Rome, N.Y.
Hill, J. M., Toronto.
Hooper, Mrs. Calvin, Lindsay.
Hough, W. H., St. Catherines.
Howie, W. M., Belleville.
Henry, Wm., Toronto.
Herrington, Harold, Kingston.
Hudgins, W. J., Haliburton.
Hudson, C., Oshawa, Ont.
Huff, M. E., Watertown, N.Y.
Huff, Dr. Wilson, Rome, N.Y.
Hunter, H. A., Toronto.
Hunter, Mrs. H. A., and three children, Toronto.
Irwin, Mrs. Wm. E., Buffalo.
Janes, Mr. and Mrs. Manson, Trenton.
Jackson, Mrs. Harry, Enterprise
Jackson, Mrs. C. N., Oshawa.
Jemmett, Douglas, Kingston.
Jemmett, Mrs. D., and three children, Kingston.
Jones, Mrs. Mary, Pomona, Cal.
Joyce, George C., Deseronto.
Kienzle, Mr. and Mrs. R. H., Syracuse,

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LENNOX FAIR AND OLD BOYS' REUNION

A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY FOR THE VISITORS AND A SPLENDID FAIR.

For a few days before the opening of the Old Home Week and Fair, the Old Boys and Girls began to arrive, and the opening day saw the town alive with visitors.

The visitors on their arrival, found the town gaily decorated. Stores, residences, streets, all wore a holiday look and the visitors will carry with them to their homes, the feeling that when Napanee strats out to furnish a week of enjoyment it usually delivers the goods. We have yet to hear of a dissatisfied visitor and the oftenest heard expression was "If you ever put on another reunion, we will all be here and bring our friends." The town welcomed its visitors and invited them to enjoy themselves and they did it to the full.

At the Driving Park, the President, Secretary and Directors of Lennox Fair prepared for the biggest and best fair in the history of the society, and despite the unfavorable weather on Tuesday and Wednesday the attendance was excellent.

A new feature this year was the evening entertainment in front of the grand stand, ending with a brilliant display of fireworks.

The baby show on Tuesday evening and the concert on Wednesday evening were good and deserved a much larger attendance, especially Wednesday evening's concert, which was changed from in front of the grand stand, to the Palace, on account of bad weather.

Thursday evening saw the largest crowd ever collected in the Park for an evening's entertainment. The grand stand was crowded to the limit and all spaces where a view could be obtained were also filled. The fireworks display, which followed the concert, was highly appreciated by the crowd.

Tuesday afternoon's program had to be cancelled on account of the wet weather, but on Wednesday, every part of the program was filled and the attendance was only large despite the threatening weather. The parade from the Armouries to the Fair ground was a special attraction on Wednesday. Many interesting and unique rigs were in the parade, and Billy Appleby and his band led the Old Boys and Girls' Brigade, on their hay rack, and the gaily decorated cars made a moving picture soon to be forgotten. Arriving at the fair grounds the parade circled the track before dispersing.

The men of the R.M.C. Riding Academy entertained in their usual perfect manner each day and on Thursday evening.

A new feature in the judging of horses and cattle was the new judging ring prepared by the side of the judge's stand, opposite the grand stand in full view of the occupants of the stands.

The baseball game on Wednesday afternoon was between the Belleville and Circle Six of Kingston, and resulted in a win for Belleville by a score of 9-2, the result of the first day's races was as follows:

In the 2.40 class, Victoria Patch won first, Laura the Great second, and Bonnie T. third. It took five heats to decide the race. In the fourth heat a bad spill at the turn of the home stretch put all but three horses out of the race, and three sulkys were reduced to scrap.

In the 2.20 Class, Hermon E. won first, Amdexter second, and Slippery Dan, third.

The Colored Cadets band came to Napanee for the Fair with a good reputation and they upheld it well. Their music was good and they were most generous in the matter of encores. The band gave the programme at the entertainment in front of the grand stand on Thursday evening which was highly appreciated, and reflected great credit on this excellent organization.

On Thursday, the third day, the weather man favored the fair with better weather and the attendance was very large, about ten thousand people being on the grounds. The races and parade of prize-winning animals was put on according to schedule, in-fact every item of the advertising attractions of the fair was given to the entire satisfaction of the patrons.

In the races, the 2.27 Class, Bingen R., owned by Dr. Benson, Belleville, won first; Lillian Patch, second; and Billy Murphy and Eelo, fourth. Best time, 2.22.

In the 2.16 Class, Amdexter won first; Herman E., second; Roy Mack, third; and Blaze Patch fourth. Best time, 2.20.

Friday, the last day of the fair, drew a much larger crowd than is usual on the last day, and everything on the programme went according to schedule. The horse races were particularly good, while the baseball and lacrosse games drew large crowds to watch them. In the 2.50 Class, Baby Hal won first; Victoria Patch, second; and Bill Mahone, third. Best time, 2.34½.

In the 2.14 Class, Day Spring won first; Amdexter, second; and Lecco Gratian, third. Best time, 2.16.

Baseball match, Gananoque 17, Cobourg, 15.

Lacrosse match, Deseronto, 2; Napanee, 1.

The great concluding event of the week was the community dance in the armouries on Friday night. The armouries presented a fairy like scene with hundreds of colored electric lights and profuse decorations of flags and bunting. It was the largest dance ever held in the building, and everyone present seemed to enter into the spirit of the occasion and enjoyed themselves immensely. Mr. J. Geale Daly, the energetic chairman of the committee, and his able assistants, are to be congratulated on the success of their efforts. Special mention should also be made of Messrs. W. H. Boyle, and J. M. Thomson, who had charge of the kitchen. Taken as a whole the Old Boys' Re-Union and the Napanee Fair were a high success in spite of the handicap of unfavorable weather. For the Old Boys' Re-Union, Reeve Graham, chairman of the committee, and those who assisted him, are being congratulated on the success of the event, especially the evening performances, the dances and serenades with jazz band and Roy's calliope, which let everybody know that something was doing.

Barnyland Midway, which was arranged for the fair, proved to be a nice ideal lot of shows and were well patronized each day and evening.

RESULTS OF THE BABY SHOW

The judges were Miss Gardner, of the Victoria Corset Co., Napanee, and Dr. Mountz, of Newburgh. The winners announced were, Baby 6 to 12 months, Master Wm. McTaggart, Master Allan Lloyd; boys 12 to 18 months, Master Cecil Smith, Master Thos. Wilson; girls, 12 to 18 months, Miss Mary Scott, Miss Jessie Waterbury; girls, 12 to 18 months, Miss Anna Smith.

BEST DECORATED CARS.

1st Prize—Miss Marion Wales.
2nd Prize—Miss Kathleen Hunter.
3rd Prize — Miss Margaret Daly.
Honourable mention—Miss Mae Laughlin, Mrs. M. Stevens.

BEST DECORATED RESIDENCE.

1st Prize—Messrs. The Mooney Bros.
2nd Prize—Mr. F. D. Mars.
3rd Prize—Mr. Herb Daly.
Honourable mention—Mr. John W. Robinson, Mr. W. Conway.

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S EXHIBIT.

The exhibits in the school children were more attractive than in former years, owing largely to the fact that more room was provided and it was possible to view them to better advantage. The maps and amateur efforts in the school drawing of dishes of fruits were above the average productions. The children's work was low in number, were superior in quality, and that which was awarded first prize, a sketch of the late Dr. Leonard, is worthy of special mention. The youthful artist who produced it is likely to be heard from again if the talent cannot be suppressed. The greater part of the space was filled with what might be termed illustrated menus. There were many competitors in this class and much skill and originality were displayed in the work. The idea was to allow the child illustrate by a series of pictures his or her conception of what a meal should consist of at the different meals. Every available source was evidently ransacked in procuring the desirable pictures. These were pasted upon plain sheets of white paper and labelled "Breakfast," "Dinner" and "Supper," and some went even farther and produced illustrated lists of the dishes that children should not eat. In one

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SEPT. 1924 — Our Weekly Calendar

Moon Phases
Last Quarter Sept. 20th

16 Tue. Look for large hail stones to-day, if you have nothing else to do.

17 Wed. Mike heard his neighbor say he was determined to exterminate the weeds. "Ah what's that," inquired Mike. "To root them up."

18 Thur. He went home and said, "Maggie, let the pig out into garden to extarminate a while." "What's that ?" inquired Maggie. "Och ! Maggie, 'tis the ignorant cratur ye are, 'tis to root."

19 Fri. Said Mrs. Riggs sarcastically, "I have been living around here for a long time and am just beginning to find people out."

20 Sat. "Why how funny," said Mrs. Diggs, sweetly, "people have found you out long ago."

21 Sun. Blessed Lord keep us from sinning against Thee, for Jesus sake. Amen.

22 Mon. The birds are leaving us early this year

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Tarzan Second, the largest wooden scow in the world, was launched recently at the Wallace shipyards, Vancouver, B.C. She is 1,000 tons burden and has 300,000 feet of British Columbia lumber in her make-up. The scow is to be used as a carrier for a great pile-driving for Grahy B. Perkins Company.

Two dinosaurs have been located in the Red Deer Valley, Alta., near the Canadian Pacific Railway line this summer, by the University of Toronto expedition, composed of four scientists who prospected for several weeks in the gorge and are packing up the prehistoric monsters for shipment to the Royal Ontario Museum. Another skeleton has been located by the Geological Survey of Canada.

One of the outstanding features of Canadian trade with the Orient during the past year or so has been the remarkable increase in wheat flour exports. Imports of Canadian wheat flour into Hong Kong in 1923 were the largest on record, showing an increase of 100 per cent in volume over those of 1922. The figures and values were: 1922, 79,585 barrels, valued at £126,060; 1923, 191,821 barrels, valued at £249,044.

Zane Grey, the famous novelist, recently caught a 758 pound tuna fish, constituting what is believed to be a world's record. The sea monster was successfully conquered after three hours and ten minutes of grilling endeavor off the Nova Scotia coast, and towed into Liverpool harbor. Mr. Grey's prize is a species of the blue fin family. The record before this catch was held by J. K. L. Ross, the well-known Montreal sportsman and financier, who caught a 710 pound tuna.

One of the most remarkable achievements in art printing yet produced in Canada and one which finally disposes of the idea that such work cannot be satisfactorily handled by Canadian firms is found in the new booklet issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway dealing with the forthcoming 1925 Round the World cruise of the company's steamship "Empress of France." The booklet contains 40 pages of text and color illustrations, the latter exquisitely combining many brilliant hues in a number of highly imaginative designs.

Canadian Pacific gross earnings for July totalled $14,883,677 as against $15,677,835 for the same month last year, a decrease of $794,159. But in order to meet this reduction, operating expenses were reduced by $1,962,686, those for the month being $13,544,115, as compared with $13,607,802 for July, 1923. Thus the net earnings for the month showed an increase of $269,527 over those of the same month a year ago. For the 7 months of the year to July 30 gross earnings showed an increase of $3,017,266; operating expenses an increase of $1,924,013 and net earnings an increase of $1,093,251.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

BY REV. C. G. TRUMBULL.
(Editor of The Sunday School Times).

JESUS MAKES A MISSIONARY TOUR.

Sunday, Sept. 21.—Mark 1 : 35-45.

Golden Text—Thou canst make me clean.—Mark 1 : 4.

"Men are always interested in wonders, in the mysterious, in the unexplainable. And men are always interested in bodily and temporal blessings—they call this being "practical." But for every hundred such men, interested in these matters, you will find about one truly interested in God ,in Christ, and in his own spiritual and eternal welfare. In this lesson Christ the Healer appealed to a much greater number than Christ the Saviour. He was fairly stampeded with followers when he went on a healing tour. How many followers did He have when He went to the cross?

These underlying facts are to be kept in mind as we read the brief, graphic, intense narrative in the last eleven verses of St. Mark's first chapter. Humanely speaking, it would have been a sadly disappointing experience for the Lord had He not known the end from the beginning. People crowded upon Him for His lesser gifts ; scarcely any came to Him for the "Unspeakable Gift of Himself."

It was toward the end of the first year of our Lord's public ministry, and by turning back to Mark 1 : 21 and reading from there to the end of the chapter we find the narrative packed with a succession of stupendous, challenging miracles. A demon-possessed man interrupted Christ in a synagogue service, Christ instantly cast out the demon, setting the man free, and the devout Jews looked on in amazement ; "and immediately His fame spread abroad throughout all the region round about Galilee."

If the mother of one of His disciples lay sick of a fever, our Lord took her hand, lifted her up, immediately she was healed and "ministered unto them." If a cityful of disease and demon-possessed people came to His door at sunset He healed them triumphantly ; no case was too hard for Him. So it went on.

The lesson commences with a verse (35) of extraordinary significance, breaking into the narrative of miracle-healings, as it were, with an entirely new episode and principle. Here it is : "And in the morning, rising up a great while before day, He went out, and departed into a solitary place, and there prayed."

The eternal Son of God Himself uncreated, because the Creator, omniscient, omnipotent, nevertheless humbled Himself in His earthly incarnation, made a filment of human dependence by faith upon His heavenly Father and lived the life of "prayer without ceasing."

To optimize certain great fundamental facts concerning God the Son and Saviour.

"In the morning" suggests the first verse of the Bible, "In the beginning God." It is always "God first."

"Rising up a great while before day," suggests "the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world" (Rev. 13 : 8). His gracious purposes of love and redemption were wrought out "a great while before" time in the history of the universe.

"He went out," suggests the place of sacrifice : "and the priest shall go forth out of the camp" (Lev. 14 : 3-7 ; 16 : 27 ; Heb. 13 : 10-13).

"Departed into a solitary place" suggests the lonliness and utter unpleasiness of Christ in His redeeming work, consummated in His agony in Gethsemane, and even God's necessary forsaking of Him on the cross (Matt. 27 : 46).

"And there prayed" sets forth the prayer life of our Lord, not only then, but now. As some one has well said of our Lord: "Thirty years of living ; three years of serving ; one terrible agony of dying ; nineteen hundred years of praying ! What an emphasis on prayer !"

But the disciples, evidently led by Simon, sought out Christ and told Him of His popularity with the crowds—"All men seek for Thee." To their surprise, instead of turning back with the disciples to those who wanted Him among them, He said : "I must go on into other towns. He had compelled men's attention and learned now He would do the same for others, "for therefore came I forth." He was not deceived by the superficial enthusiasm. He knew that men were seeking His blessings, not Himself. But He knew also that here and there, in the midst of this superficial popularity, some would be found who would hunger for Him as their Saviour and Lord and would receive Him.

Now for the first time (v. 40) leprosy is mentioned in this Gospel ; and leprosy is the great Bible type of sin. And Jesus heals the unclean leper, touching the man with His own sinless, spotless, holy hand, and answering the agonized cry, "If Thou wilt," with the omnipotent, redeeming assurance, "I will."

The healing was instantaneous and complete, just as the cleansing of the sinner, who comes to Christ on the same terms, is instantaneous and complete, for "if we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness" (I John 1 : 19).

For His own reasons, which we may or may not understand, Christ forbade the cleansed leper to tell "any man," but enjoined him to go to the priest and obey the Mosaic law for such cleansing, this law being found in Lev. 13 and 14.

Was the healed man right or wrong when he "went out and began to publish it much, and to blaze abroad the matter ?" Are we right or wrong when we disobey Christ ? There is only one answer ; the healed man sinned, and sin grieves and hinders God. As a result, "Jesus could no more openly enter into the city," and the man in his disobediences was working against his best Friend. If we think we know better than God concerning what we ought to do, let us give God the benefit of the doubt, and do His will, not ours.

Fortunes for Foundlings.

On leaving work a few weeks ago, two miners found a newly-born baby lying in a sheltered pit. One of the men took the baby home to his wife. On removing the child's wrappings the woman found bank-notes to the amount of £1,800, together with a letter asking that the child should be baptized Victor and be well cared for.

A similar surprise awaited the wife of a metal-worker, who found a baby girl, wrapped in long clothes, lying by the roadside. He took the baby with him and in its clothes his wife found £1,603 in notes. A letter stated: "This child is in good health and eight years' time a similar sum will be given the foster-parents."

Even though they may be abandoned with only the rags they wear, foundlings sometimes have wealth thrust upon them. A waif of unknown parentage recently came into a fortune of £50,000. She was adopted by a wealthy American woman, together with a little boy of the same age. The two were to have been playmates together, but the little boy died. Now the girl has been left a fortune by the benefactress, who died a short time ago.

Another foundling, adopted by a wealthy woman, was left £24,000 when the woman died. The girl was then taken care of by a friend of her adopted mother.

An extraordinary claim to the parentage of the child was subsequently made by a man and woman, formerly servants in the employment of the girl's benefactress. This was found to be false, however, and only made to gain control of the girl's fortune.

The Optimist.

Sandy McTavish was a supreme optimist. Nothing ever seemed to worry him.

One day, during a period of great floods, he was found by a neighbor lucky enough to possess a boat sitting peacefully on the roof of his house, smoking a pipe while the waters rose.

"Hello, Sandy!" cried the neighbor.

"Hello, Sam!"

"All your fowls washed away, I suppose?"

Sandy nodded. "Aye," he said; "but the ducks can swim."

"Apple trees gone, too—eh?"

"Well, the crop would have failed, anyhow."

"So will you," said Sam, "if you sit up there much longer. Why, the water's covered your ground-floor windows already."

"I know," replied Sandy, "and a good thing, too. Them windows did want washin'!"

Insulted.

Simkins, the junior clerk, was looking very much on his dignity this morning. As he came out of the manager's private room he wore a look of offended pride, in which there was more than a suspicion of hauteur.

"Hello!" remarked one of his fellow juniors. "What's the matter with you? You look as if you'd lost a dime and found a nickel."

"The boss has said something to me which I resent," explained the other. "If he does not apologise I shall leave."

"Oh, and what did he say?" was the next question.

"Simkins, you're sacked'," was the doleful rejoinedr.

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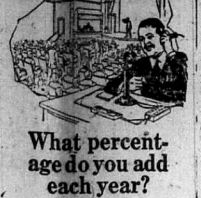

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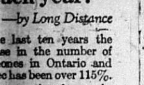

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CANADIAN CEMETERIES ON THE WESTERN FRONT

BY ALBERT CLOSE.

Dear Mr. Editor :

I have just made a tour of the battlefields of the Western Front and the cemeteries in which Canadians in large numbers are buried.

At Ypres Major de St. Victor, Supt. of the Imperial War Cemeteries, kindly took me around in his car to the various cemeteries in which our Canadian boys are sleeping their last sleep on the fields where they triumphed over the foe.

Major de St. Victor is an old Quebec and Montreal boy and was able to direct me to the cemeteries where the boys killed in the different campaigns and battles were laid to rest. At the capture of Passchendale in 1917, Major de St. Victor's battalion reached Passchendale Church, but the church was not there. In the dark he had a hard job to find the objective for the reason that only the site remained.

The cemeteries are beautifully kept and the many cases are veritable flower gardens of the choicest flowers. Civil cemeteries cannot compete with them for beauty.

First, I went to Voornazeele Cemetery, where many of the boy killed in the great gas attack in April, 1915, lie buried. Grave after grave is marked "AN UNKNOWN CANADIAN SOLDIER". "KNOWN UNTO GOD." About 400 are buried here.

Next I went to Passchendale New British Cemetery, where over 400 of the Canadians killed in 1917 at Passchendale are buried. Large numbers are marked "UNKNOWN CANADIAN SOLDIER." These have been found all around Passchendale on the great battlefield of 1917, and concentrated in this beautiful cemetery. They have been found in many cases, so perfectly preserved that the features seemed as natural as in sleep, after six years. This is true. I am informed, where a soldier has been buried in clay soil. After exposure to the air, a change speedily takes place.

The War Graves Commission men are finding about fifty missing men a week on the average, as building and farming operations unearth them. Trained men can tell at once if a body is buried, by the green color of the soil. Seven were identified at Hill 60 last week by the number on the boots of each soldier.

The reason why so many are unknown, although perfectly preserved is because the aluminum identification discs were made of fibre and perished in the earth. The Germans made their discs of bronze and this has stood the test of time.

Next, I went out to Villa au Bois and Neuville, about eight miles west of Vimy Ridge, where are the graves of about 500 Canadians, killed in the battle of Vimy Ridge in April, 1917. This also is a beautiful cemetery. All of the boys here have their headstones over their graves, in rows that crosses as at Voornazeele. About 1083 Canadians are buried in the beautiful Lievin Cemetery, and where over 9800 British are buried. I saw Walter Delfor's grave. It is a mixture to have mother, also one of the cemetery.

There are 185 British cemeteries around Ypres, containing 101,000 registered graves, and 173 German cemeteries, containing 79,000 German registered graves.

Over 240,000 British were killed or died of wounds received at Ypres Salient, but many died in base hospitals. This accounts chiefly for the discrepancy in the number of actual graves and the 240,000 killed.

The German cemeteries are of raised mounds with only an occasional headstone or cross here. Behind Vimy Ridge a great German cemetery has been used for concentration. They say there are 25,000 graves in it.

North East of Arras, four miles I saw a big German cemetery with 4800 identified graves, and 25,000 "unknown." The French are collecting them from all over the Front. The coffins are stacked up twenty-five feet deep, one on top of another and covered over with the chalky, lumpy soil six feet deep.

Friends coming from Canada can save large sums of money when visiting graves by using the light railways, instead of hiring motors. Stanford's, of 12-14 Long Acre, London, have just published a fine Cemetery Map, showing where all the cemeteries lie and the roads and railways leading to them. They cost $1.25.

We also visited Verdun, the great French fortress, which cost the Germans 500,000 killed and 1,500,000 wounded in their furious assault in 1916. The whole countryside has been blown to pieces. About 300,000 French killed are counted in unknown graves or in the ruins and about 100,000 in known graves.

We went right down inside Fort Vaux and saw the underground galleries, hospitals and gun emplacements. Great steel cupolas, 15 in. thick, are shattered to pieces. The Germans captured the Fort for a time, by throwing hand grenades and bombs down the air ventilators, etc., and by cutting off the water supply.

We saw the 170 bayonets still sticking up out of the ground, where a salvo of German shells blew in a trench and buried the men just as they stood. The French have left them as they stood and are erecting a vast Mausoleum over the spot. Gen. Falkenhayne and the Crown Prince buried their reputations as soldiers at Verdun.

The great dug-outs all over the front are fast falling in. As one goes over the front and sees the positions defended by the Canadians, it makes one proud of the race to which we belong.

I enclose a photo of Villa au Bois and Voornazeele Cemeteries, so if any relatives want a copy you can let them have it for rephotographing.

Yours truly,
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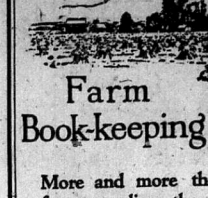

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SURPRISES FROM AIR PICTURES.

United States Is Not a Thickly Settled Country.

Photography from the air is revising descriptions of landscape, just as history is being rewritten from later facts. Recent flights across the United States by men of the Army Air Service have resulted in a set of pictures of famous bits of scenery which change the character of their appearance to an extent that makes them almost unrecognizable. In some cases a projecting point over a valley, or the edge of a mountain, has been used for generations by photographers, thus giving a sort of standard view of a given attraction.

Making pictures from the air gives the photographer much wider latitude in selecting his base, but, still more important, it belittles the great things of nature, for the camera is above or on a level with the highest peak, and looks down on the valleys from thousands of feet above. The mountain which rises from near you on the ground falls away and loses much of the sense of height when viewed from above. You are on the level of the clouds, and trees and other objects on the ground are mere specks. A river or a waterfall resembles a ribbon, and a glacier is a big, flat field of ice below you.

A large number of photographs made by Lieut. Macready, who made the first non-stop flight from the Atlantic to the Pacific, are contained in the National Geographic Magazine, and they are truly wonderful in their new presentation of the landscape of the United States. The pictures were made during detailed trips by Macready and Stevens. Even the fliers were impressed by the newness and the beauty of the wonders. "We had long heard of the beauties of Yosemite; from our lofty position over it, we looked down and marvelled at the prodigality of nature in supplying a relatively small valley with so many wonderful features. This region was so attractive that we flew back and forth several times and at last left it with reluctance."

Looking down on the famous Death Valley from a height of 12,000 feet, the aviators "could feel waves of heat from the valley. For total desolation there is nothing that approaches this basin and its surroundings. On each side are black, sunbaked mountains that rank probably among the most dismal, and in summer time the hottest, places on earth."

Now comes the surprise for those who think of the United States as a thickly settled country: "The strongest impression of the United States obtained from the panorama of this transcontinental journey-flight was the immensity of the lonely, isolated territory which passed beneath us. Travellers and autoists follow auto roads and railroads, and the population stays close to them, but the area seen from the air is practically without human life. Occasionally an Indian village or mining town was seen, but mostly stillness and solitude."

The Gas That Kills.

"At least we've gotten rid of the man who used to blow out the gas."

"He's still with us," contradicted Uncle Bill Bottletop; "only he works different. He puts the gas in his flivver tank and hits 40 miles an hour."—Washington Star.

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MORE SCOTTISH BRIDES FOR CANADA

The number of Scottish brides who have sailed from Glasgow to Canada this year, has been rather striking. Many of these young ladies are going to prospective husbands who have only been a short time in Canada. Here is a striking group, on board the Canadian Pacific Liner "Marloch." Mr. Roderick MacLeod, the Gaelic singer, is in the centre of the group. The brides, from left to right, are: Miss Andrew, (Motherwell); Miss Graham, (Edinburgh); Miss Dunn and Miss Mair (Coatbridge).

Peers on Their Uppers

The thrusters have got England. Precisely the same change that is robbing London of the Nash bow in Regent street, and replacing it by stereotyped, perhaps solid, buildings, is robbing England of its people who carried riches as an adjunct to nobility. Titles, estates, rank and preferment are going—cheap.

In almost any issue of the Times or the Morning Post advertisements similar to the following may be found:

"Lady of rank, moving in high social circles, would undertake chaperonage, town and country, or arrange dances and other social functions. Write X.Y.Z., care of ——."

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The old order is changing. England is back in the experimental period, and the rough, unpruned, ungrafted stock of a future aristocracy is springing up in ragged mass and weedlike profusion.

It occurred to me that perhaps the cobblers of England know more and tell less of the changing social order than any other class in the country. Ultimately I found that to be true, with the exception of one group—the old family servants.

My shoemaker, Moffat, could, and he would, write a tale of misery, bravely borne, that would shock and sadden us all. He has a little habit. When Lord (Y) sends his shoes to be soled and heeled he puts a little mark in the lining. One pair of his lordship's shoes carries the full tally, four uprights and a cross, and in the club his lordship tucks his feet under the big chair, lest some upstart shall vent on him the scorn that once was his own prerogative. "Confound the fellow! What's the place comin' to, when bounders with their shoes soled disturb us?"

The history of social England is being written in shoemakers' shops, servants' halls and auction rooms. Having seen, or heard, the sales, return to the club where shoulder to shoulder the old and new mix. The old cuts the new, and the new laughs. It was the last laugh, because it has the money.

The other day, for example, crowning moment of many years, climax of a slow, unhurried drama, insurances on the life of a distinguished peer were put up to auction. The insurance amounted to some million and a half dollars. His lordship was feeling the pinch of the £45,000 annual premium. Somebody took a chance on his life and the auction netted half a million dollars. There is bitterness not easily suggested. Sic transit! Sic rapid transit!

Now when his lordship meets the upstart in the club it may mean that the over-solicitous inquiries concerning his health indicate that the invader holds his policies, and his sympathetic questions cover a sinister hope; the parvenu may be waiting like a vulture on the wall for the process of mortification. Ghosts!

Yet the glamor seems never to fade. The functions and formalities persist. The old estates are kept going, the same old faces are to be encountered. The parties are just as extravagant. The guests are cheery and good-natured. They have so many memories in common. It is, therefore, hardly unexpected that the retiring man in the corner of his own house, who foots the bill, should find himself left out of the conversation.

In the obscurer streets of London are people euphemistically called "misfit clothiers." Here, at a moderate price, may be bought clothes either new or slightly worn which carry the signature of the most exclusive tailors. The proprietor of "misfit clothing" is peculiar, I believe, to London. At their counters, in the glorious Edwardian days, when aristocracy was in flower, the constant freshening of the wardrobe was eased by the sale of "slightly worn" clothing.

There are a hundred "persons of rank and position" living in chambers at $15 a week. But the same stiff, unbending aristocrats as of old. The same unbending pride. Though blood slay me, yet will I trust!

Oh, the little "ekes" disguised as chaperonage and housparties. There is such a social difference between conducting a house party and a boarding house, but the fees are approximately the same. The men have the better part. They can sell their names to commercial enterprise, for an Englishman dearly loves a title on his board of directors. There are coronets for sale, and though the reception be chilly it is satisfactory, even though a tradesman, save the word, is received.

Not far from London is a village. All the land, including the village, as far as the eye can reach, belongs to the lord of the manor. The manor house is sixteenth century, but the new squire is not. He came in when the old people had to sell their land because they were too old-fashioned to work. Vintage 1917. He bought the equity. He could, and being a trader he got it cheaply. But the manor house and the village did not coincide. Therefore he roughcast the cottages and stuck up imitation half-timbered fronts to bring the village up (or down) to date. The language of the manor house is already Elizabethan, so also is the spelling. —New York Times Magazine.

A Small Borough.

Britain's smallest borough is Montgomery, with 951 inhabitants; it has a council consisting of a mayor, two aldermen, and five councillors.

Old Superstitions.

In one of his novels, Walter Scott says it was received as the truth "that they who are born on Christmas or Good Friday have the power of seeing spirits, and even of commanding them." He also says that "the Spaniards imputed the haggard and downcast looks of their Philip II to the disagreeable visions to which this privilege subjected him." The well-known lines of Shakespeare declare that in his day the crowing of the cock at dawn was believed to be efficacious in driving away spirits.

Why Buried Glass Disintegrates.

The bureau of standards says that glass would slowly disintegrate when buried in moist soil. The action on the glass would be due primarily to water and alkali, and the disintegrating action would vary with the composition or character of the glass and the conditions that obtained in the soil. This action would probably be extremely slow with any glass, and it would probably be centuries before some glass would be completely disintegrated.

How Peanuts Grow.

The common peanut grows in a peculiar way that is distinctly original. The little plant sends up its shoots with the fruit on the end of a somewhat stiff stalk, and then before it ripens the stem bends over and carefully pushes the fruit underground. As pigs are said to be especially fond of these it has been humorously suggested that the plant does this to hide its nuts from the porker's too inquisitive investigations.

Tottering for 600 Years.

The famous leaning tower of Pisa is of pure white Carrara marble in the Gothic style. Its departure from the perpendicular has been variously interpreted, but there is little doubt that it rises from the softness of the soil on which it stands and which has given way. Notwithstanding its threatening appearance, it has now stood for more than six hundred years without rent or decay.

The Kiss in Religion.

The religious significance of the kiss began in the early Christmas church ritual and still is imparted in the Greek church on Easter Sunday. In the middle ages it was the custom to kiss children thrice in the name of the Trinity. Gradually the custom spread beyond the walls of the church and eventually people sealed reconciliation and peace with a kiss.

Forenoon Marriages.

Why is noon the traditional and fashionable hour for wedding ceremonies? Because the hour became the customary one in England many years since, when the rule of partaking of the holy communion as the first act together of the married pair was universally obeyed. It was not permissible to celebrate that sacrament after mid-day.

Diplomatic Youngster.

Harold was often allowed to visit his grandmother, but was always told the hour he should return home. On arriving at his grandmother's one morning he was asked how long he could stay. "Well, grandmother, I don't remember whether mother said ten o'clock or three o'clock, but I'll go home after dinner and ask her."

LAID ON ALTARS

In All Ages Wealth Has Flowed Into Religious Temples.

Gold, Silver and Precious Gems Offered as Tribute Both to Idols and the Unseen God.

Requisition of church valuables by the soviet government, reported in dispatches from Russia, raises a question as to the wealth of the various religious institutions of the world.

"Since the dawn of history people have been lavish with their gifts for religious purposes, whether they worshiped idols or an unseen God," says a bulletin from the headquarters of the National Geographic society.

"The result is that in all ages treasure, usually in the form of gold and silver and precious stones, has flowed to temples and churches, monasteries and other religious institutions. In any period and in most parts of the world, then, except during recent decades in the West, a considerable part of the liquid wealth of the world has been in ecclesiastical hands. Only the treasuries of temporal princes surpassed those of the religious institutions, and in some instances, as in Tibet, the monasteries and temples held practically all the country's treasure.

"Archeologists find pagan temples of civilization's dead for thousands of years were ornamented with a wealth of precious metals. Indian temples of several faiths have had their rich treasuries and their ornaments of gold and silver for centuries, and they have made use, as well, of a glittering array of diamonds, rubies, sapphires and other jewels. Many an idol today, from the dim interiors of Indian temples, looks out through eyes of great lustrous, precious stones and wears other gems that might ransom an emperor.

"Christianity had to fight for its life for the first 300 years of its existence and its rites were carried on in the simplicity that secrecy made necessary. But with its official recognition came the tendencies which had marked most of the openly accepted religions which had come before; toward the making of gifts to churches by devout followers and powerful patrons and toward the use of more elaborate and costly paraphernalia in the services. Constantine, first Christian emperor of Rome, lavished gifts on St. Peter's church in Rome and on Sancta Sophia in his own capital, Constantinople. He thus had a hand in enriching the two most famous, and once the two richest, churches in Christendom.

"The marked enrichment of Christian churches began in earnest in Italy and the East in the Fifth and Sixth centuries and ushered in the jewelled altars. Precious stones also came in use to ornament images of the saints, or as gifts to them. Thus the Sacred Baby of the Church of Ara Coeli in Rome has been given over a space of many years a wealth of jewels.

"The accumulation of treasure by temples and churches and monasteries has not been unbroken. Time and time again these convenient reserves of precious metals and precious stones have been seized by conquerors. Pagans have looted the shrines of other pagans. Mohammedans looted Roman churches, including St. Peter's in 846, and the churches of Constantinople in 1453. Sancta Sophia, after the break between the western and eastern churches, was sacked by western Christians during the fourth crusade. Church vessels were taken or destroyed in many cases at the time of the Reformation."

American Boy Child at Seventeen.

In America a boy is still a child at seventeen. In England he is a man, with a man's air, a man's costume and a man's interests, having put away childish things, which still exist in spite of his clothes. He does not go tearing down the street in his long trousers and high hat as would an American lad if he was imitated into the same costume at the same age.

An American boy would (and let us hope he always will) destroy the whole effect and would run around the corner to the nearest pump to measure the fluid capacity of his wonderful bendpiece or to fill it with luscious stolen fruit.—Exchange.

American Milk in Hungary.

American evaporated milk has scored a hit in Hungary. There is a great scarcity of fresh milk and there has always been a prejudice against the canned article which is in extensive use in the United States and other countries, but recently a quantity of evaporated milk was sent there through the American relief, and it has made its way into public favor. Preparations are being made to take large quantities of it, as it has been shown that it can be sent there at a cost much less than the dairy product can be obtained.

Appreciation.

"John, dear, did you enjoy the Welsh rabbit I made?"

"Darling! And the biscuits! Enjoy them? Why, I couldn't sleep all night for thinking about them!"—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

No Distinction Between Sexes.

W. W. Jacobs, the prime humorist, who doesn't seem to tell many funny stories, has broken the rule on his sixtieth birthday to produce the laughter of youth—here it is.

A doctor went out to dinner, and was partnered by a gushing young lady.

"Is it true, doctor," she asked, "what you are a lady-killer?"

"Madam," replied the doctor, "I make no distinction between the sexes."

FAMILIES THAT ARE FAKED.

Winning a Fortune by Borrowing Babies.

The proposed alterations to the laws relating to adoption remind one that, nowadays, more children are being adopted than ever before, says a writer in Tit-Bits.

Some couples seem to have a mania for adding other people's children to their own family. An elderly childless and his wife have adopted no fewer than twenty-three orphans. The children's ages range from fifteen months to fifteen years. It is said that they sit down at table in batches and take it in turns to go to bed.

Although they have only the husband's wages on which to live, the couple have never failed to feed their charges. Succour has always arrived in the nick of time. So great is the couple's confidence that their house is known as "Faith Home."

Several amazing cases have come to light recently in which a wife has adopted children and passed them off to her husband as his own.

A woman, aged fifty-two, caused a sensation in local circles by claiming to be the mother of triplets. The inquiry which followed revealed an amazing masquerade. Every one of the woman's eleven supposed children had been adopted from foundling institutions without the husband having suspected the truth.

When he learned the truth, he wished to send all the children away, but a compromise was effected, and only the triplets were returned to the institution. The woman had carried out the deception soundly through her great love of children.

In another dramatic case the motive was purely financial. It was revealed in the will of a millionaire's widow. She repudiated her five reputed children and cut them off with £1 apiece.

When she was married, it was explained in the document, her millionaire husband offered her £10,000 for each time the family was increased by one. She therefore hired a negress to bring her five white foundling babies, one at a time. These she passed off to her husband as his children.

Even a judge can be deceived by a borrowed baby. When a certain county judge had to distribute a large amount of compensation money, every woman claimant appearing before him in his private room carried a baby. Later on, the judge learned that there had been only one baby in the court all the time. Each woman had borrowed it in turn, believing that its presence would make the judge more generous.

Children placed out with strangers often believe their adopted relatives to be their true parents. A struggling business man called home suddenly to the dying woman whom he had always believed to be his mother was astounded at her confession that he was not her son at all. She died without revealing his mother's identity.

With only a few slender clues, the man carried out an untiring search. Finally he discovered that his mother was a wealthy woman living at a seaside resort. He made himself known to her, and she received him with open arms.

Britain In the Sudan.

Great Britain, instead of giving up the Sudan, as demanded by the Egyptians, is increasing her interest in that country by the construction of an enormous dam for irrigation purposes at Makwar, three miles from Sennar, on the Nile. The dam, which a special correspondent of the London Times describes as another of the engineering wonders of the world, will be nearly two miles long, and over eighty feet high, and it will be so constructed that it can carry along the top a line of railway, which in time will be a link in the main trade route from Darfur and Kordofan to the Red Sea."

The object of this dam is primarily to raise the water in the river to such a level that it will flow into a main canal and thence by gravitation through branch canals directly on to 300,000 feddans (a feddan is slightly larger than an acre) in the Gezira, one-third of which will be put under cotton every year, one-third under green crop, and one-third will lie fallow. Secondly, the dam will store water for tiding the cotton crops on this area during the two or three months in the spring when the Sudan cannot be permitted to draw on the natural flow from the river. There are 19,000 men, half Sudanese and half natives of Upper Egypt, employed on the work, which is to be completed by July, 1925.

THE BRIDEGROOM'S BLUNDER.

Flashes of Wit From a Book of Memories.

A man who was going to be married made a bargain that there should be no speeches at the breakfast, but when the time came the company cried out "Speech! Speech!" and the poor bridegroom had to comply. He rose and, placing his hand on his wife's shoulder, began: "Ladies and gentlemen, this thing has been forced upon me."

The above, told by Mr. J. H. Balfour Brown, K.C., in "Recollections Literary and Political," is one of many entertaining stories related by the author. Some of the stories concern the Scottish Ministry.

"A Scottish minister," he writes, "on his way to take the duty of a neighbor at a distance, lost the manuscript of the sermon. In the pulpit he explained that he had lost his sermon, and that therefore he should only speak the words that the Lord had put in his mouth; 'but,' he added, 'I will be better provided in the afternoon!'"

Once two children, endeavoring to make a butt of a certain minister, stopped him in the street and said, "Mr. Dunlop, your work is done and the devil's dead." "Well," said the minister, "I'll still hae twa faithfeelless bairns to look after."

Some naughty boys, knowing that the minister, in a long and painful drought, was going to pray for fruitful showers, got a bucket of water and threw the whole contents against the window at the opportune moment of the prayer for rain. It took the minister a little aback; and he paused in his request, and said, "Oh, Lord! that is ridiculous!"

The author was born in Dumfriesshire when his father, Dr. Browne, was in medical charge of a hospital for the insane. "At a political meeting of the county in 1906," the author writes, "a heckler who knew something of my history asked if it was a fact that I had been born in the lunatic asylum. That was regarded very much as a home-thrust by my political opponents, but I was able to answer: 'Yes! it is true I was born in a lunatic asylum, but I was discharged cured. If you had been born there, you would have been there yet.'"

The author declares that a famous "bull" perpetrated in the House of Commons was that of an honorable member, an authority on East Indian affairs, who declared that the pale face of the British soldier was the backbone of our Indian army.

It was said that Mr. Justice Hawkins, as he was then, was at some Assize breakfast or luncheon asked what he would have.

Looking down the table, he said, "I'll try some of that hung beef."

"It is not hung beef," the hostess replied. "But it will be if the Judge tries it."

Theodore Hook, the novelist, was visiting a lady who felt very strongly about temperance. She gave him a pamphlet on it entitled "Three Words to a Drunkard." Hook looked at it and said, "Oh! I know: 'Pass the Bottle'."

A brewer who drowned himself in one of his own vats was once stated to have been found "floating in his own watery bier." This is on a par with the case where a coroner had hanged himself and someone said, "He lived and died by suicide."—Tit-Bits.

Roosevelt Stumped by Indian.

Even the great Roosevelt was stumped once. Master of every situation, he met an obstacle when he was once moved to preach a moral sermon to a famous Indian chief named Quanah Parker, who was a polygamist. Irvin S. Cobb tells the story in his new book, "A Laugh a Day Keeps the Doctor Away".

"See here, chief," he said, "why don't you set your people a still better example of obedience to the laws of the land and the customs of the whites? A white man has only one wife; he's allowed only one at a time. Here you are living with five squaws. Why don't you give up four of them and remain faithful to the fifth? You could continue to support the four you put aside, but they need no longer be members of your household. Then, in all respects, you would be living as the white man lives."

Parker, who spoke excellent English when he chose to do so, considered the proposition for a space in silence. Then, with a twinkle in his beady old eyes, he made answer: 'You are my great white father,' he said, 'and I will do as you wish—on one condition.' What's the condition?' asked the colonel. 'You pick out the one I am to live with and then you go tell the other four'."

Made Smart Retort.

The Premier of New South Wales, the Hon. Sir George Fuller, recently told the story of what he characterized the neatest retort he ever remembered to have heard uttered in the Parliament House there.

An M.P., whose name was Willis, made a violent harangue against a measure sponsored by Mr. Dickens, a son of the famous novelist.

After listening patiently to the diatribes of Mr. Willis, Mr. Dickens rose to reply:

"My father," he said, "made famous a phrase, 'Barkis is willing.' Had he been here to-day the phrase would have been altered to 'Willis is barking'."

She Knew Who Wrote It.

Nancy, who is in the first grade of school No. 14, came home the other day all excited. "Oh, mother," she said, "teacher is teaching us a poem, called 'There, Little Girl, Don't Cry.'"

"That's fine," said her mother. "It was written by James Whitcomb Riley, who wrote the bumble bee poem that Sue Anna taught you."

"Oh no, no, mother, Mr. Riley didn't write the bumble bee poem. Sue Anna wrote that for me. I saw her do it."

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W. M. S. Convention.

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New Paint Shop.

Mr. Frank Markle has rented the Symington evaporator building at the foot of West street, and is fixing it up for a paint shop, for cars, motor boats, furniture, etc. Tops and trimmings of all kinds. Work guaranteed. 5-tf

Meyers Ball Passed Away at Cleveland, Ohio.

Meyers Ball, aged sixty-eight, well known Oddfellow, died on Sunday, Sept. 7th, in Cleveland, Ohio. Death was due to heart disease. Mr. Ball was born in Colebrook, Ont., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Ball. He lived in Canada until 1888 when he went to Watertown, N.Y. He was married to Jessie Wheeler, Napanee, in 1883. Mrs. Ball died in 1896. Mr. Ball was very prominent in both the Oddfellows lodge and in the Redmen Onguatonza tribe, No. 340, Watertown, N.Y., having been a member of both lodges for more than thirty years. Mr. Ball was a blacksmith by trade and worked for many years as such. He went to Cleveland some time ago where he lived up until the time of his death. He is survived by one brother, Hicks Ball, Colebrook, one sister, Mrs. Emily Darby, also of Colebrook, two daughters, Mrs. W. Miller, Garrison, Ont., and Mrs. B. A. Lucas, Three Mile Bay, N.Y., and one son, Harry W. Ball, Watertown, N.Y.

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Wilton Presbyterian Church Anniversary.

On Sunday, Wilton Presbyterian Church, erected in 1873, celebrated its fiftieth anniversary. The jubilee services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Robert Laird, treasurer of the Presbyterian church in Canada, assisted by the minister of the church, Rev. T. McKenzie, who recently came to the Wilton charge from Montreal Presbytery. Large and enthusiastic audiences joined in the special services.

Married at Adolphustown.

At Adolphustown Miss Agnes Elizabeth Chalmers was united in holy matrimony to George Lewis Millard Johnston. The bride and groom were unattended. Thomas Chalmers gives his sister to marriage. The bride was gowned in taupe silk Canton crepe with touches of cream lace, and wore an antique pin set with a large and brilliant jacinth, which has been an heirloom in the family for several generations ; also a rope of pearls. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Johnston left on a motor trip to Mrs. Marmora, on a visit to Mrs. Ellis, the groom's sister. The bride travelled in a suit of navy tricotine serge, with sand colored overblouse of knitted silk crepe, and a hat of tope cahsh brown velour interlaced with baby ribbon to match. Both the bride and groom are well and favorably known and it is a pleasure to know they will take up their residence at Adolphustown. The bride has been for a number of years the efficient treasurer of S. Alban's Guild, and the groom is a veteran of the great war.

Off to a Good Start.

On Monday night there gathered in the Town Hall, Napanee, a representative gathering of men and women from all sections of the county for the purpose of organizing the prohibition sentiment for the campaign which is to be held this fall. Mr. A. Macgregor was chairman of the meeting. With him on the platform were the clergy who were present and the Dominion member, E. J. Sexsmith. Mr. Tanton gave a report of meeting of the Ontario Plebiscite Committee recently held in Toronto, in which he stressed the need for organization, revision of voters' lists and the spread of correct information. The opinion, he said of Toronto men in closest touch with the situation, was that the temperance sentiment of the province had not changed but that misrepresentation had led many to think that a change of some sort would be better than the present Act. Our duty, he said, was to show the good effects of the O.T.A. After his address the meeting proceeded to organize. A county organization was created and an executive named for every municipality. The secretary was empowered to secure an office and to immediately begin the work of education. An allocation of fifteen hundred dollars was accepted as the amount necessary for the campaign. After a discussion of the present situation and the plans necessary to be followed, the meeting was closed with the benediction by Rev. Hoffman, of Bath.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—Life imprisonment, not the sentence fixed today by Judge R. Caverley upon Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, confessed kidnappers and murderers of fourteen-year-old Robert Franks, was a complete victory for the defence.

Youth was the controlling factor in Judge Caverley's decision. He said no minor had ever been sentenced to death in Illinois on the plea of guilty.

The present case, the Judge said, differed from others in that the State was not forewarned of a plea of "guilty." "The plea of 'guilty' does not form a point in favor of the defense," he said. "The court finds no mitigation in the crime itself in the defendants' personalities, or their antecedents," said Judge Caverley. "The then accepted "full responsibility for declining" to impose death penalty on persons who are not of full age."

The court adjourned ten minutes after convening.

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10.30—Holy Communion.
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7.00—Evening prayer.

TAMWORTH.

The school fair will be held on Wednesday at the athletic grounds. A good programme has been arranged and admission will be free.

Mr. Crick, the principal, and four ladies as assistants, have opened the continuation and public school for the fall term.

Mr. Williams, who drives a truck for the Bowes Creamery Company, and Harvey McFarlane, driving a roadster, collided on Monday last on the Arden Road. Both cars were badly damaged, but no person was hurt.

Miss Beatrice White is attending business college in Kingston.

Miss Eulalia Floyd is attending Collegiate in Kingston.

Mrs. Aylesworth has returned from visiting friends at Port Hope.

Miss Annie Gilmour is attending business college in Kingston.

Miss Milligan is attending high school at Napanee.

SILLSVILLE.

A very successful fowl supper was held at Conway on Monday evening last. The refreshments were served in tents on the grounds and were of the finest. The program was given in the church, which had been recently redecorated, Mr. Terrill of Grace Methodist Church, Napanee, acted as chairman. Mrs. Bradley, of Napanee, soloist, rendered some fine selections. Mr. A. M. Haycock, Labor representative for West Hastings, who was visiting his parents at Adolphustown, gave a fine address on conditions in England. Miss Frink, who is new to us all, treated the crowd to some fine readings. Although the evening was very blowery all who attended were well pleased with their evening's entertainment and the ladies of Conway cleared well over $100.

Sillsville church is being built over and it is hoped soon to have as nice a church as any.

Mr. W. Thurston is busy building a new cement bridge over the creek near where the cheese factory once stood. It is a much needed improvement.

Mr. Magee has completed Robertson Bros.' house which has a very up-to-date appearance.

Miss D. Merritt is teaching Dorland school, while Sillsville school is under the very able care of Miss Sayres.

Black ducks are very plentiful on the bay, judging by the shooting every day.

The N.C.I. pupils are again in their places. There are now six from Sillsville school in the first two rooms of N.C.I.

Robt. Merritt and son showed a fine herd of pure bred Holstein cattle at Napanee Fair.

A large crowd from Sillsville attended the Fair and Old Boys' Re-union at Napanee last week.

Miss Fannie Rawlinson, who has been ill of scarlet fever in Kingston General Hospital, is expected home in a few days.

"He will turn again, He will have compassion on us." Micah 7-19 ; "Look unto Me and be ye saved." Isa. 45-22 ; "Hide me under the shadow of Thy wings." Ps. 17-8 ; "The Lord shall be thine everlasting light." Isa. 4-20 ; "He healeth the broken in heart, He bindeth up their wounds." Ps. 147-3 ; "Come unto me all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." Mat. 11-28 ; "When He giveth quietness, who then can make trouble." Job 34-29.

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REGISTRATION OF OLD BOYS AND GIRLS
(Continued from page 1).

Kellar, Lucy, Camrose, Alta.
Kirby, Miss L. M., Toronto.
Lochhead, Lt. Col. W. M. D., Kitchener.
Lochhead, Dr. J. A. and two sons, Hamilton.
Liddell, Miss Olive, Syracuse.
Lasher, John W., Niagara Falls, N.Y.
Lasher, Mrs. J. W., Niagara Falls, N.Y.
Lasher, Jack, Niagara Falls, N.Y.
Lasher, Misses Beatrice and Edna, Niagara Falls, N.Y.
Lacey, Jos., Picton.
Leary, Mrs. Jas., Picton.
Leary, Brock, Picton.
Lemmon, Geo., Pennellville, N.Y.
Lemmon, Mrs. Nellie, Pennellville, N.Y.
Lemmon, Miss Thelma, Pennellville, N.Y.
Logan, Mrs. Albert, Tweed, Ont.
Loucks, H. R., Toronto.
Loucks, Bruce, Toronto.
Lynn, John, Watertown, N.Y.
Murdock, John B., Seattle, Wash.
Madden, Orval, Toronto.
Madden, Wm., Black River, N.Y.
Madden, H. H., Black River, N.Y.
Mallory, Dr., London, Eng.
Matchett, Mrs. Fred, Cleveland, Ohio.
Meagher, Chas. B. F., Belleville.
Miller, Beecher, Toronto.
Miller, Miss Jewell, New York City.
MacNaughton, Mrs. Donald, Montreal.
MacNaughton, Alan A., Montreal.
McCabe, H. B., Oshawa.
McCay, A. S., Pittsburgh, Pa.
McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. J. W., Toronto.
McLean, S. W., Webb, Saskatchewan.
McNeely, Miss M., Peterboro'.
McNulty, Mrs. Maggie Hunt, Detroit, Mich.
McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. Leo., Oshawa.
McGurn, Mrs. Elizabeth, Buffalo.
O'Connor, Tom, Schenectady, N.Y.
O'Connor, Hazel, Schenectady, N.Y.
Palmer, Mrs. Ada, Belleville.
Parker, Mrs. M. E., South Glen Falls, N.Y.
Parks, Mr. Luther M., Trenton.
Pybus, Miss Julia, Belleville.
Parks, Evelyn M., Toronto General Hospital.
Parrott, Fred, Belleville.
Pearsall, Furman, Rome, N.Y.
Pendell, Mrs. E. J., Watertown, N.Y.
Percy, Lewis, Brantford.
Perry, Miss Blake, Winnipeg, Man.
Phalen, Dr. Everett, Newark, N.J.
Purcell, H. R., Colebrook.
Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. G. H., Farrell, Penn.
Rankin, Percy, London, Ont.
Rodgers, Mrs. Fred, Picton.
Rikley, Mr. Harvey, Toronto.
Ross, Mrs. G. W., Ohio.
Reid, Mrs. D., Belleville.
Reid, Miss Carrie M., Belleville.
Reid, A. A., Toronto.
Reynolds, Mrs. A. R., Chapleau, Ont.
Reynolds, A. S., Chapleau, Ont.
Reynolds, Ida Mae, Chapleau, Ont.
Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene, Belleville.
Rooney, A. F., Kingston.
Ruttan, Mrs. T. F., St. Catherines.
Savage, Wm., Cobourg.
Schryver, Wesley, Watertown, N.Y.
Schryver, Fred, Watertown, N.Y.
Schuster, Mrs. W. A., Belleville.
Scott, W. J. R., Kingston.
Southorpe, Thos., Watertown, N.Y.
Savage, Mr. and Mrs. G., Belleville.
Smith, Mrs. Ida, Hamilton.
Stevens, Geo., Peterboro.
Sedore, Benjamin, Detroit.
Sedore, Mrs. Miles, Detroit.
Sexsmith, Fred, Toronto.
Shane, Mrs. Robert, Belleville.
Shane, Miss Mildred, Belleville.
Sharp, S., Kingston.
Shewell, J. S., Harris, Sask.
Sheppard, Fred, Hamilton, Ont.
Shorey, N. B., Belleville.
Shorey, Geo., Stevenson, B.C.
Shorey, Mrs. George, Stevenson, B.C.
Smith, E. L. Bowmanville.
Smith, Mrs. J. J., Hamilton.
Smith, Mrs. Ida, Hamilton.
Snider, Mrs. A. N., Watertown, N.Y.
Snyder, Geo. W., Watertown, N.Y.
Snyder, A. N., Watertown, N.Y.
Spencer, G. G., Watertown, N.Y.
Spencer, Mrs., Watertown, N.Y.
Sproule, I. W., Brampton.
Sproule, Harry, Brampton.
Stevens, Mrs. Frank, Peterboro'.
Stevenson, Miss Ruth, Brockville.
Storms, Douglas, Hamilton.
Storms, Mrs. D. J., Hamilton.
Storring, C. W., Tamworth.
Switzer, Blake, Toronto.
Switzer, Mrs. Blake, Toronto.
Taylor, W. J. Woodstock, Ont.
Thurston, Mr. Chas., Toronto.
Tomlinson, Albert, Pittsburgh.
Trimble, F. E., Picton.
Tooker, Mr. and Mrs. F. L., Brockville.
Valleau, F. W., Toronto.
Valleau, Mrs. F. W., Toronto.
Vanalstine, Jas., Fulton, N.Y.
Vanalstine, Earl, Toronto.
Vanalstine, W. A., Saskatoon.
Vandebogart, J. B., Harriston, Ont.
VanEvery, J. F., Toronto.
Wilson, Rev. J. F., Belleville.
Wagner, Mrs. R. H., Los Angeles, Cal.
Woodcock, Mr. and Mrs. Jos., Brockville.
Wood, Mrs. Thos., Picton.
Wood, Bernice, Picton.
Walker, Thos. W., Watertown.
Walker, J. M., Perth, Ont.
Wagar, C., Winnipeg.
Ward, Mrs. M., Port Hope, Detroit.
Walker, Mr. and Mrs. I. H., Watertown.
Ward, Horace, Detroit.
Watson, James, Schenectady, N.Y.
Watson, Mrs. James, Schenectady, N.Y.
Weiss, H. A., Trenton, Ont.
Williams, D. A., Black River, N.Y.
Williams, Mrs. Percy, Detroit.
Williamson, J. T., Detroit.
Williamson, Miss Florence, Detroit.
Williamson, Miss Ada, Detroit.
Williamson, Miss Lillian, Detroit.
Williamson, Miss Lucy, Detroit.
Wilson, Rev. W. D. P., Belleville.
Wilson, Samuel, Toronto.
Wilson, Mrs. Fred, Belleville.
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FALL FAIR DATES
The dates of fall fairs in this district as issued by J. Lockie Wilson, superintendent of the Department of Agriculture, are as follows :

Arden	Oct. 2
Bancroft	Sept. 24 and 25
Campbellford	Sept. 25 and 26
Centreville	Sept. 19 and 20
Cen Hill	Sept. 22 and 23
Colborne	Sept. 23 and 24
Demoresville	Oct. 11
Inverary	Oct. 1
Kingston	Sept. 16-20
Madoc	Oct. 7 and 8
Odessa	Sept. 25-26
Parham	Sept. 10 and 11
Picton	Sept. 23-26
Shannonville	Sept. 20
Stella	Sept. 30

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Wiping Out Pests.

A record of 303 pocket gophers and 90 moles caught in 11 months ending in November, obtained for Roy Hanenkrat, an Oregon boy, a prize of $25. Another boy, Ferdinand Hoefer, caught 320 moles and received a second prize of $15. These boys were taking part in a contest organized in Tillamook county, Oregon, to eradicate these pests. The county was divided into three districts, and prizes amounting to $50 were allotted to each district. Forty boys and girls entered the contest.

Perfect.

There was a good deal of excitement in the village when notices appeared announcing that the local minister would that night address a meeting on the subject of "The Perfect Woman—Where is She?"

He had quite a good audience and soon got warmed up to his subject.

"Now," he said, during the course of his address, "I ask you, has any one ever seen or heard of a perfect woman?"

Suddenly from the back of the hall rose a tall, gaunt, angular woman in rusty black. In a melancholy voice she said:

"Yes, sir; I have heard of the woman you mention."

"Who was it," inquired the speaker.

"My husband's first wife," replied the gaunt one feelingly.

Eliza Cook.

Eliza Cook, English author, was born on December 24, 1818, in Southwark, being the daughter of a local tradesman. She was self-taught, and began when a girl to write poetry for the Weekly Despatch and the New World. In 1838 she published "Melaia and other Poems," and from 1849 to 1854 she conducted a paper for family reading called "Eliza Cook's Journal." She also published "Jottings from My Journal" in 1860, and four years later "New Echoes." In 1863 the British Government gave her a pension of £100 a year.

As the author of a single poem, "The Old Armchair," Eliza Cook's name was for a generation after 1838 a household word both in England and in this country, her kindly domestic sentiment making her a great favorite with a large class of people. She died at Wimbledon, England, on September 23, 1889.

To W. J. SHANON, ESQ.,
Treasurer of the County of Lennox and Addington :

County of Lennox and Addington,

TO WIT :

The lists of lands liable to be sold for arrears of taxes in the year 1924 showing the amount due against each lot or parcel of land set opposite to the same, having been submitted to me in duplicate and in accordance with section 142, Chs. 195, R.S.O. 1914, of the "Assessment Act," and each of the said lists having been vised by me, I hereby authorize and command you, William James Shannon, Treasurer of the County of LENNOX AND ADDINGTON to levy upon the respective lands specified therein for the arrears and costs due thereon.

Dated this 29th day of July, A.D., 1924.

W. H. Milling,
Warden of the County of Lennox and Addington.

COUNTY OF LENNOX AND ADDINGTON.

TREASURER'S SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES

County of Lennox and Addington.

TO WIT :

By virtue of a warrant under the hand of the WARDEN and the seal of the County of Lennox and Addington, bearing date the 29th day of July, A.D., 1924, and to me directed, commanding me to levy upon the lands mentioned in the following list, for the arrears of taxes due thereon, and the costs as therein set forth, I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that unless the said arrears and costs are sooner paid, I shall proceed to sell the said lands, or so much thereof, as may be necessary for the aforesaid taxes and costs, at my office in the Court House, in the Town of Napanee, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, the 5th day of November, in the year A.D., 1924, and the following day if necessary, beginning at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and in compliance with the "Assessment Act."

The PUBLIC will please remember that this is a strictly CASH SALE. Private cheques will not be accepted in settlement unless marked by the Bank upon which they are drawn and made par at Napanee.

County Treasurer's Office, Napanee, July 29th, A.D., 1924.

W. J. SHANNON,
Treasurer of the County of Lennox and Addington.

TOWNSHIP OF DENBIGH.

	Arrears	Costs	Total
W.R., Lot 1, acres, 84 ; years, over 3.....	$ 29.00	$2.50	$22.50
W.R., Lot 2, acres, 100 ; years, over 3.....	15.00	2.38	17.38
2, Lot 17, acres, 100 ; years, 1921.....	8.06	2.25	10.31
2, Lot 15)			
3, Lot 100, acres, 194 ; years, over 3.....	40.00	3.00	43.00
3, Lot 13-14, acres, 200 ; years, over 3.....	30.00	2.75	32.75
3, Lot 17, acres, 100 ; years, over 3.....	100.00	4.50	104.50
3, Lot 20, acres, 100 ; years, over 3.....	100.00	4.50	104.50
3, Lot s ½ 6)			
4, Lot s. ½ 7)			
4, Lot 6 & 7), acres, 300 ; years, 1921-2-3	101.34	4.53	105.87
4, Lot 16, acres 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3 ..	44.23	3.11	47.34
4, Lot 12, acres, 100 ; years, over 3.....	15.00	2.38	17.38

TOWNSHIP OF ABINGER.

3, Lot pt. 1, acres, 19 ; years, over 3.....$	20.00	$2.50	$22.50
3, Lot 25, 26 ; years, over 3.....	20.00	2.50	22.50
3, Lot pt 29, acres, 19 ; years, over 3.....	50.00	3.50	53.50
3, Lot 6 & 7, acres, 200 ; years 1920-2-3...	33.59	2.84	36.43
9, Lot 1, acres, 100 ; years, over 3.....	50.00	3.50	53.50
9, Lot 2, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3..	83.81	4.10	87.91
11, Lot 4, acres, 100 ; years, over 3.....	50.00	3.50	53.50
11, Lot 7)			
1, Lot 8) acres, 200 ; years, 1921-2-3.....	31.83	2.79	34.62
16, Lot pt 14, acres, 1 ; years, over 3.....	20.00	2.50	22.50

TOWNSHIP OF ASHBY.

1, Lot 2)			
1, Lot 3), acres, 300 ; years 1920-1-2-3..$	64.88	$3.63	$68.51
16, Lot 33)			
Lot 34), acres, 200 ; years 1920-2-3...	31.64	2.79	34.43
			Sold

TOWNSHIP OF KALADAR

3, Lot n ½ 1, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3.$	28.98	$2.73	$31.71
			Sold
1, Lot e ½ 3, acres, 108 ; years, 1920-1-2-3.	38.64	2.97	41.61
1, Lot w ½ 4, acres, 133 ; years, 1920-1-2-3	56.87	3.47	60.08
1, Lot 2, acres, 247, years, 1921-22.....	26.37	2.66	29.03
1, Lot 5, acres, 150 ; years, 1920-1-2-3....	48.91	3.23	52.14
1, Lot 4, acres, 172 ; years, 1920-1-2-3....	47.79	3.20	50.99
1, Lot n ½ 10, acres, 65 ; years 1920-1-2-3.	20.63	2.20	22.83
1, Lot 10, acres, 188 ; years, 1920-21.....	36.23	2.91	39.14
3, w ½ 12, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3..	12.21	2.31	14.52

TOWNSHIP OF ANGLESEA.

R.A., Lot 19, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3..$	32.16	$2.80	$34.96
R.A., Lot 28, acres, 100 ; years 1920-1-2-3...	20.70	2.52	23.22
R.A., Lot 29, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	20.71	2.52	23.23
R.A., Lot 31, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	20.69	2.52	23.21
R.A., Lot 34, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	20.70	2.52	23.22
R.A., Lot 35, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	20.71	2.52	23.23
R.A., Lot 36, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	20.72	2.52	23.24
R.A., Lot 39, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	20.70	2.52	23.22
R.A., Lot 41, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	20.70	2.52	23.22
13, Lot 9, acres, 100 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	40.16	3.00	43.16

TOWNSHIP OF SHEFFIELD.

2, Lot (centre)			
pt 16), acres, 4 ; years, 1920-1-2-3..$	52.80	$3.32	$56.12
2, Lot n ½ 26, acres, 100 ; years, 1921.....	3.65	2.25	5.90
16, Lot 21, acres, 150 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	21.62	2.55	24.17
16, Lot 22, acres, 165 ; years, 1920-1-2-3...	18.34	2.46	20.80
16, Lot 23, acres, 185 ; years, 1920-21-23..	19.99	2.50	22.49

TOWNSHIP OF ERNESTTOWN.

1, Lot pt 32, acres, ¼ ac.; years, 1924-22-23	$43.94	$3.10	$47.04
1, Lot pt. 42, acres, 2 ; years, 1920-1-2-3..	43.53	3.10	46.63

VILLAGE OF BATH.

1, Lot 6, Meacham's Atlas, S. W. Corner Queen and Church Sts., 1-5 ac; yrs. 1921-23 $148.00 $5.70 $153.70

All above lands are Patented.

W. H. MILLING,
Warden, County of Lennox and Addington.

W. J. SHANNON,
Treasurer, County of Lennox and Addington.

LENNOX FAIR AND OLD BOYS' REUNION

(Continued from page 1).

instance we observed strawberries and roast chicken on the prohibited list in the same category as pickles and mince pie. There were some remarkable bills of fare, but upon the whole good judgment was displayed and the pictures were tastefully arranged and from a purely artistic point of view helped to make the exhibit one of the most attractive in the main building.

THE EXHIBITS.

The following special reports of some of the finest displays at the Fair will prove interesting reading and should repay readers for the time expended upon their perusal :

THE J. J. HAINES SHOE HOUSES

This enterprising old firm are to the fore again with one of the finest displays in the Palace. The artistic manner in which the goods shown are arranged have called forth admiring comment. All of the best goods to be had in Trunks, Suit-cases, Club-bags and other travelling necessities are shown as well as the finest to be had in the latest styles of boots, shoes, pumps and slippers, also a great variety in rubber goods. You are always welcome at the Haines Store and courteous attention will always be extended to you. Their aim is to give you good value for your money and to satisfy you. Stores also at Smith's Falls and Belleville.

THE GRAHAM COMPANY.

For artistic merit the fine display made by The Graham Co. will compare favorably with any other in the building. One can always depend on getting good value and the latest styles in clothing and other accessories of male attire. This firm specializes on the 20th Century. Cambridge and other good brands of clothing, and their own guarantee of satisfaction backs up that of the manufacturers. No better place to get your requirements in shirts, ties, hats, caps, gloves, mitts, braces, handkerchiefs, collars, etc., etc. When in doubt go to Graham's. They will solve your problems for you. You will always find the latest styles displayed in the windows of their store on Dundas street.

G. H. SWITZER.

Farmers and owners of property were attracted to the good display in Mr. Switzer's booth. He had many lines on hand suitable for them, and should make good sales at and after the Fair as a result of his fine exhibit.

The DeLaval Separators shown have many improvements over the older styles. The new models are capable of giving a long life time of clean skimming service.

The "Eastlake" Galvanized Shingles, on exhibition, make a safe and permanent roof.

Try DeLaval Oil for your machine—it pays to use it.

If you want the best, use a DeLaval Milker. For Felt Roofing and Shingles see G. H. Switzer, Dundas street, Napanee.

VANLUVEN'S COAL.

A most interesting exhibit was that of Vanluven, the old and well-known Coal Dealer. Specimens of various kinds and sizes were well displayed in a charmingly decorated booth.

Anthracite coal was shown in the sizes, Egg, Stove, Chestnut, Pea and No. 1 Buckwheat. They are fine samples of D. L. and W. of the highest grade in heat units.

Bituminous steam coal was also exhibited and looked of fine quality, select lump.

Some good specimens were there of Ebony Cube Canmel Coal, hand picked for grates, just the thing to make a cheerful fire these chilly days and evenings. It is a high-grade coal and sure to give satisfaction.

A good sample of Smithing Coal was shown from Cumberland big vein. It is known as the famous Georges Creek coal.

The Hamilton By-Product Solvey Coke, made from coal from Elkhorn and Pochontas, has wonderful heating products. It is a Canadian product.

Farmers and others should see VanLuven's for their coal supply. Prices right and quality right too. Phone No. 92, Napanee.

AN EXPLANATION

Many of the Old Boys attending the Reunion, asked the significance of the multi-colored ribbon attached to the pin with which all the old boys were presented.

It may be of interest to all to know that these colors were not chosen at random by the Committee, but each color symbolizes something dear to the heart of every citizen of Napanee, past, present and future.

In the centre is the Red, White and Blue, the colors of the Empire. Also the Red and White colors of the old Maple Leafs, who for eight years were undefeated champions of the district diamond. The green, gold and garnet colors of the Ancient Order of Hi," a secret fraternity that flourished in Napanee before the war, and had for its members some of the best young men of the town. The Blue and Yellow of the old N.C.I. are on the badge and the border stripe of black ribbon bears the hundred and fifty names of our heroic dead from Lennox and Addington.

East St. Louis, Ill., Sept. 12.

Max Fox :

Have waited until the last minute expecting that I might be able to get to the Old Boys' Reunion. Will you convey my very best good wishes to my friends who are at the re-union and particularly Mr. Morden and members of committees who should be heartily commended for their work in such a good cause.

CHARLIE FOX.

St. Patrick at Westminster.

A beautiful mosaic in honor of St. Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, was unveiled recently in the Central Hall of the Palace of Westminster on the 1,462nd anniversary of his death. The design, for which Prof. R. A. Bell, R.A., is responsible, shows St. Patrick in the robes of a bishop standing in front of the Rock of Cashel with a cluster of shamrocks at his feet. To his right stands St. Columba, representing Northern Ireland, with the red hand of Ulster on the base, and on the left is St. Bridget, representing Southern Ireland, with a harp on the base.

The ceremony of unveiling was performed by the donor, Mr. Patrick Ford, a former M.P. for North Edinburgh, who explained that he was a Scot without a drop of Irish blood in his veins, but that he had always felt the "lure of Ireland." Possibly he accepts the view upheld by Prof. Bury, in his biography, that St. Patrick was a Scot. The mosaic is one of the glories of the British House of Parliament, the others commemorating St. George, St. Andrew and St. David. "There is room for two more," writes C.K.S. in the Sphere. "It is a pity there are not to be three, as then all the seven champions of Christendom very dear to our boyish studies could be commemorated, notably St. Denis, carrying his head under his arm."

Woman Discovers Preserving Secret.

What the scientific experts in Canada and the United States have failed to do has been accomplished by an English woman, Miss Mackenzie, an experimenter employed by the Minister of Agriculture.

Her discovery concerns the method of preserving fruit in liquid in such a manner that it retains its natural colors. The measure of her success may be judged at Wembley, where specimens are on view in the Government Pavilion. Although some of the fruit, including apples, plums and gooseberries, was picked last autumn, the colors are still quite fresh

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SCHOOL FAIR DATES

LENNOX AND ADDINGTON.

Anderson—Tuesday, Sept. 16th.
Tamworth—Wednesday, Sept. 17th.
Sillsville — Thursday, Sept. 18th.
Denbigh—Monday, Sept. 22nd.
Flinton — Wednesday, Sept. 24th.
Centreville—Thursday, Sept. 25th.
Selby—Monday, Sept. 29th.
Camden East — Wednesday, October 1st.

Centreville School Fair was announced for October 2nd, but has been changed to Sept. 25th, owing to the former date having been chosen for an important meeting in Napanee.

Attend your Township School Fair. An interesting programme will be carried out. Admission free. 40-b

J. LAUGHLAND,
Agricultural Representative.

CLASSICS AND THE MODERNS.

Older Classics Should Be Valued and Read.

There is grave danger, says the Montreal Gazette, that "the overwhelming rush of new books should sweep us past those old ones that stand like rocks fronting the torrent, a grateful refuge for those who can lay hands on them and cling fast." It will be generally agreed, of course, that the older classics should be valued and read. But for serious readers there is a reason for the demand for productions of the present day. They deal largely with modern problems, in which serious people are interested. The answers to these problems cannot be found even in the pages of such giants as Shakespeare and Milton. It is true that the human heart remains the same in all ages, but social and political conditions change, and they must be dealt with by living writers.

In the older English writers we find very little serious discussion of social problems. We read little of unrest or of progress, with a few exceptions, such as More's "Utopia." Addison and Steele, it is true, threw their influence on the side of sound morals, but we find in The Spectator little, if any, discussion of the conditions of life among the poor, of the strife between labor and capital, of housing or popular education. Gray, in his immortal elegy, shows sympathy with the peasant, and recognition of his worth. He speaks of mute inglorious Miltons, "hands that the rod of empire might have swayed or waked to ecstasy the living lyre." But he never suggests, as a modern writer would do, that these buried faculties ought to be brought forth and developed. Pensively, mournfully, but without passion, he accepts a permanent condition which a reformer of our day would view with fierce impatience. Goldsmith treats the same subject with "The Deserted Village" with even deeper sympathy, but he looks regretfully at the past rather than with hope and reforming zeal at the future. "Ill fares the land to hastening ills a prey, where wealth accumulates and men decay." He mourns the passing of the idyllic village life. He sees that something is wrong, and in this respect is ahead of his more complacent predecessors.

It was toward the close of the eighteenth century that discontent and desire for progress found a voice. The transition had terrible illustration in the French Revolution, and many thoughtful Englishmen who, while they were horrified by its excesses, sympathized with the desire to remove grievances and improve social conditions. There was a conservative reaction in England, followed by a movement for political and social reform. Dickens, in "Oliver Twist," in "Nicholas Nickleby," in "Hard Times," in "Bleak House," in "Little Dorrit," expressed his flaming indignation and contempt for customs and institutions of his day. Blood, in "The Song of the Shirt," Mrs. Browning, in "The Cry of the Children," drew heart-wrung tears for the poor and the oppressed. Kingsley, Maurice, Ruskin, Carlyle, wrote in the same strain. In this respect the nineteenth century was widely different from preceding ages. It was not a period of smug self-satisfaction; at least there were those who fought valiantly against old abuses. The modern reformer will find in these his own spirit, but applied to conditions which make him unlike those of these latter days. There is much that is unreasonable in the present-day fashion of railing at the Victorians, but while we may admire their spirit we must deal with our own problems in our own way.

Rough Talk.

"Making any headway with that husky gal over in Kicker county, Gabe?"

"Na; might as well stop courtin her, I reckon. Told me if I didn't stay away she'd shoot me."

"Shoot ye?"

"With an insect gun."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Plebiscite, O.T.A., 1924

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF LENNOX

Notice of Sittings of Revising Officers

Take notice that sittings of the Revising Officers for the purpose of hearing complaints or appeals with regard to the Voters' Lists to be used at the taking of the Plebiscite, under the Ontario Temperance Act, on October 23rd, 1924, for the Electoral District of Lennox will be held at the following times and places, namely :—

TOWN OF NAPANEE
At the Town Hall, on Saturday, October 4th, and Monday, October 6th, at 10 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF AMHERST ISLAND
At the Town Hall, Stella, on Tuesday, September 30th, at 10 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF RICHMOND
At the Town Hall, Selby, on Monday, September 29th, at 10 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF ERNESTTOWN
At the Town Hall, Odessa, on Friday, October 3rd, at 10 a.m.

VILLAGE OF BATH
At the Town Hall, Bath, on Saturday, October 4th, at 2 p.m.

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH FREDERICKSBURGH
At the Town Hall, on Friday, October 3rd, at 2 p.m.

TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH FREDERICKSBURGH
At the Town Hall, Sillsville, on Wednesday, October 1st, at 1 p.m.

TOWNSHIP OF ADOLPHUSTOWN
At the Town Hall, Adolphustown, on Thursday, October 2nd, at 2 p.m.

REVISING OFFICERS for the said Municipalities respectively and Clerks respectively of the said Revising Officers will be as follows, namely :

For the Town of Napanee, Judge Madden, Revising Officer, Napanee; W. A. Grange, Clerk, Napanee.

For the Township of Amherst Island, U. M. Wilson, Revising Officer, Napanee; John Filson, Clerk, Stella.

For the Township of Richmond, U. M. Wilson, Revising Officer, Napanee; H. A. Wood, Clerk, Selby.

For the Township of Ernesttown, W. P. Deroche, Revising Officer, Napanee; E. O. Clark, Clerk, Odessa.

For the Village of Bath, W. P. Deroche, Revising Officer, Napanee; E. P. Shepherd, Clerk, Bath.

For the Township of North Fredericksburgh, C. W. Vandervoort, Revising Officer, Napanee; M. A. Sills, Clerk, R.M.D. Napanee.

For the Township of South Fredericksburgh, C. W. Vandervoort, Revising Officer, Napanee; Geo. T. Ham, Clerk, R.M.D. Bath.

For the Township of Adolphustown, G. S. Reid, Revising Officer, Napanee; A. C. Davis, Clerk, R.M.D. Sillsville.

The sittings in each Municipality will commence at the hour above stated, and will continue until the appeals have been disposed of.

And further take notice that any voter who desires to complain that his or her name or the name of any person entitled to be entered on said lists has been omitted from the same, or that the names of any persons who are not entitled to be voters have been entered thereon, may on or before the THIRD DAY (exclusive of Sunday) before the date fixed for the sittings as above set out, apply, complain or appeal to have his or her name, or the name of any other person entered on or removed from the said list.

And further take notice that such appeals must be in writing in the prescribed form signed by the complainant in duplicate, and given to the Clerk of the Revising Officer for the proper Municipality, or left for such Clerk at his address as given above.

And all persons are hereby called upon to examine the Voters' Lists for their respective municipalities, in order to ascertain that their names are correctly entered therein.

J. H. MADDEN,
Chairman of the Election Board for the County of Lennox and Addington.

Dated at Napanee, this 15th day of September, 1924. 38b

Plebiscite O. T. A., 1924

Electoral District of Addington

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TOWNSHIP OF KALADAR, ANGLEASEA and EFFINGHAM
At the Town Hall, Flinton, on Monday, September 29th, at 11 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF BARRIE
At the Town Hall, Cloyne, on Tuesday, September 30th, at 10 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF KENNEBEC
At the Town Hall, Arden, on Thursday, October 2nd, at 11 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF CAMDEN
At the Town Hall, Centreville, on Thursday, October 2nd, at 10 a.m.

VILLAGE OF NEWBURGH
At the Standard Bank Hall, on Friday, October 3rd, at 2.30 p.m.

TOWNSHIP OF OLDEN
At the Town Hall, Mountain Grove, on Thursday, October 9th, at 10 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF OSO
At Buell's Hall, Sharbot Lake, on Friday, October 10th, at 9 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF HINCHINBROOKE
At the Town Hall, Parham, on Saturday, October 11th, at 9 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF SHEFFIELD
At the Town Hall, Tamworth, on Saturday, October 4th, at 10 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF DENBIGH, ABINGER and ASHBY
At Charles Both's Hall, Denbigh, on Tuesday, September 30th, at 10 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF CLARENDON and MILLER
At the Town Hall, Plevna, on Wednesday, October 1st, at 10 a.m.

TOWNSHIP OF PALMERSTON, NORTH AND SOUTH CANANTO
At the Palmerston Town Hall, on Thursday, October 2nd, at 10 a.m.

REVISING OFFICERS
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For the Township of Barrie, Judge Madden, Revising Officer, Napanee ; Stanley Wheeler, Clerk, Cloyne.
For the Township of Kennebec, Judge Madden, Revising Officer, Napanee ; J. A. Marshall, Clerk, Arden.
For the Township of Camden, U. M. Wilson, Revising Officer, Napanee ; T. E. McGill, Clerk, Centreville.
For the Village of Newburgh, U. M. Wilson, Revising Officer, Napanee ; Charles Welbanks, Clerk, Newburgh.
For the Township of Olden, W. P. Deroche, Revising Officer, Napanee ; W. P. Bender, Clerk, Long Lake.
For the Township of Oso, W. P. Deroche, Revising Officer, Napanee ; E. G. Clark, Sharbot Lake.
For the Township of Hinchinbrooke, W. P. Deroche, Revising Officer, Napanee ; E. A. Beattie, Clerk, Godfrey.
For the Township of Sheffield, G. S. Reid, Revising Officer, Napanee ; John E. Parks, Clerk, Tamworth.
For the Township of Denbigh, Abinger and Ashby, C. W. Vandervoort, Revising Officer, Napanee ; Paul Stein, Clerk, Denbigh.
For the Township of Clarendon and Miller, C. W. Vandervoort, Revising Officer, Napanee ; J. F. Card, Clerk, Plevna.
For the Township of Palmerston, North and South Cananto, C. W. Vandervoort, Revising Officer, Napanee ; T. G. Burke, Clerk, Ompah.

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The WRECKERS

By FRANCIS LYNDE

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Mr. Norcross told what we had seen, and how we had come to be where we were able to see it, but that didn't help out much, either. From any point of view it seemed perfectly foolish, and the boss made mention of that. If we hadn't happened to be there to bring the engine back, the worst that could have befallen Mr. Chadwick and the crew of the special would have been a few hours' bother and delay. In the course of time the conductor would have walked out and got to a wire station somewhere, though it might have taken him all night, and then some, to get another engine.

Naturally, Mr. Chadwick was red-hot about it, on general principles. I guess he wasn't used to being kidnaped.

"I can't help thinking that it is connected with what is due to happen to-morrow morning, Graham," he said, at the end of things. "There are some certain scoundrels in Portal City at the present moment who wouldn't stop at anything to gain their ends, and I am wondering now if Dawes wasn't mixed up in it."

"Who is Dawes?"

"Dawes is a mining man in Portal City, and before I'd been an hour in town yesterday he hunted me up and wanted me to go over to Strathcona to look at some gold prospects he's trying to finance. I said 'No' at first, because I was expecting you, and thought you'd reach Portal City this morning. When you didn't show up, I knew I had twelve hours more on my hands, and as Dawes was still hanging on, I had our trainmaster give me a special over to Strathcona, on a promise that I'd be brought back early this evening, ahead of the 'Flyer' from the west—the train you were on."

Mr. Norcross nodded. "And the promise wasn't kept."

"No promise is ever kept on the Pioneer Short Line," growled the big magnate. And then, with a beautiful disregard for the mixed figures of speech: "Once in a blue moon the chapter of accidents hits the bull's-eye square in the middle, Graham. When Hardshaw wired me from Portland, I knew you couldn't reach Portal City before this morning, at the very earliest. That was going to cut my time pretty short, with the big pow due to be fired tomorrow morning, and you cut it still shorter by losing twelve hours somewhere along the road—they told me in the dispatcher's office that your train was behind a wreck somewhere up in Oregon. But it has turned out all right, in spite of everything. You're here, and we've got the night before us." Then I suppose he nodded toward me, for the boss said:

"Oh, Jimmie's all right; he knew what I had for dinner this evening, and he'll know what I'm going to have for breakfast tomorrow morning."

With the bridle off, the big man went ahead abruptly, cutting out all the frills.

"You finished your building contract on the Oregon Midland, Graham, and after the fraud was opened for business you refused an offer of the general managership. Would you mind telling me why you did that?"

"Not in the least. There is nothing in it. An operating head is not nothing more than a scorekeeper for a national gambling game. The boss gamblers around the railroad post in the Stock exchange tell him what he has to do and where he has to get off. Stock gambling under whatever name it masquerades—boosting values, buying and selling margins, reorganizations, with their huge rake-offs for the underwriters—is the big business which is crushing the life out of the nation's industries, especially in the railroad field. It makes me wish I'd never seen a railroad track."

"Yet it is your trade, isn't it?" asked the wheat king.

"It is; but luckily I can build railroads as well as operate them; and there are other countries besides the United States of America. I'm on my way home to Illinois for a little visit with my mother and sisters; and after that I think I shall close with Jim after I've had from one of the Canadian companies."

"Good boy!" chuckled the Chicago magnate. "In due time we might have to be reading your name in the newspapers—Mr. Graham Norcross, D.S.O., or something of that sort." Then, with a sharp return to the sort of gritting seriousness: "You've been riding over the Pioneer Short Line since early this morning, Graham; what do you think of it?"

I couldn't see the boss' smile, but I could figure it pretty well when he said: "There may be worse managed, worse neglected pieces of railroad track in some of the great transcontinental lines, but if there are I haven't happened to notice them. I suppose it is capitalized to death, like many of the others."

"Fictitious values doubtless have something to do with it at the present stage of the game," Mr. Chadwick admitted. "It has always been a good earning property, being largely, even yet, without much local competition. But from the day it was completed its securities have figured in the market only for their speculative values. The property itself has never been considered, save as a means to an end; the end being to enable one bunch of the Wall Street gamesters you speak of to make a 'killing' and unload on another bunch."

"The old story," said Mr. Norcross.

"We are bumping over the net result, right now," Mr. Chadwick went on. "Pioneer Short Line is practically in the last ditch. The shock has slumped to forty and worse; Shaffer, the general manager and the only able man we have had for years, has resigned in disgust; and if something isn't done tomorrow morning in Portal City, I know of at least one minority stockholder who is going to throw the whole mess into the courts and try for a receivership."

Mr. Norcross looked up quickly.

"Are you the minority stockholder, Uncle John?" he asked, letting himself use the name by which Mr. Chadwick was best known in the wheat pit.

"I am—more's the pity. I had a little lapse of sanity one fine morning a few years ago and bought in for an investment. I've done everything I could think of, Graham, to persuade Breck Dunton and his Wall Street accomplices to spend just one dollar in ten of their reorganization and recapitalization steallings on the road itself, but it's no good. Dunton has been making an inspection trip over the system with a dozen or so of his New York cronies. It's a junketing excursion, pure and simple, but while they're here they'll get together and go through the form of picking out a new general manager. I'm on the board and they had to send me notice, though it's an even bet they hoped I'd stay away."

"Are you really going to spring the receivership on the Dunton people to-morrow?"

"I'm going to give Dunton his chance. He can appoint the man I want appointed as general manager, with full power to act, and that's the little plan I've got up my sleeve for providing a bit of working capital for the road, or—he can turn me down."

"And if he does turn you down?"

"Then, by George, I'll see if I can't persuade the courts to put the property into bankruptcy and install my man as receiver!"

"I don't envy your man his job either way around; not the least little morsel in the world," said the boss, quietly. And then: "Who is he, Uncle John?"

The wheat king gave a great laugh. "Don't tell me you haven't guessed it," he chuckled. "You're the man, Graham."

But now Mr. Norcross had something to say for himself, sitting up straight and shaking his head sort of sorrowfully at the big man in the padded chair.

"No, you don't, my good old friend; not in a thousand years! You'd lose out in the end, and I'd lose out; and, besides, I'm not quite ready to commit suicide." And then to me, "Jimmie, suppose you go and tag on the door and tell the ladies we're pulling into Portal City."

I hung around while the boss was telling Mrs. Sheila and Maisie Ann good-by, and I was in the baggage-room, digging up the put-off stuff, at the good-by minute. But I guess they didn't quarrel any—the boss and Mrs. Sheila. She was laughing a little to herself as I helped her down from the car, and when I asked her where she wanted to go, she said I might ask one of the porters to carry the traps, and we'd walk to the hotel, which was only a few blocks up the main street.

She took Maisie Ann on the other side of her and let two of the blocks go by without saying anything more, and then she gave that quiet little laugh again and said, "Your Mr. Norcross amuses me, Jimmie. He says I have no business to travel without a guardian. What do you think about it?"

I told her I hadn't any thinks coming, and she seemed to take that for a joke and laughed some more. Then she asked me if I'd ever been in New York, and I felt sort of small when I had to tell her that I had never been east of Omaha in all my life. With that, she told me not to worry; that if I stayed with Mr. Norcross I'd probably get to go anywhere I wanted to.

Something in the way she said it made it sound like a little slam on the boss, and of course I wasn't going to stand for that.

"There is one thing about it: the boss will make good wherever he goes," I hit back. "You can bet on that."

"I like your loyalty," she flashed out. "It is a fine thing in a day that is much too careless of such qualities. And I agree with you that your Mr. Norcross is likely to succeed; more than likely, if he will only learn to combine a little gentle cleverness with the heavy hand."

"I don't think you have any cause to blacklist Mr. Norcross," I said. "Hasn't he been right good and brotherly to both of you this evening?"

"Oh, I didn't mean that," she said real earnestly. "But in the stateroom in Mr. Chadwick's car: the ventilator was open, you know, until Maisie Ann got up and shut it, and we couldn't very well help hearing what was said about the kidnaping. Neither Mr. Chadwick nor Mr. Norcross seemed to be able to account for it."

"Can you account for it?" I asked, bluntly enough, I guess.

At this she smiled and said, "It would be rather presumptuous for me to try where Mr. Norcross and Mr. Chadwick failed, wouldn't it? But maybe I can give you just a wee little hint. You saw the two men who went over to the auto and smoked while they were waiting for the other two to come back? If I am not mistaken, I have seen them many times before, and they are very well known here in Portal City. One of them, the smaller one with the derby hat and the short overcoat, was either Mr. Rufus Hatch or his double; and the other, the heavy-set one, might have been Mr. Gustave Henckel, Mr. Hatch's partner in the Red Tower company."

This didn't help out much, but you can bet that I made a note of the two names.

"You are going back to Mr. Chadwick's car," she asked, when she was telling me good-by and thanking me for coming up to the hotel with them.

I told her I was, and then she came around to the kidnaping business again of her own accord.

"You may give Mr. Norcross the hint I gave you, if you wish," she said; "only you must be a good boy, Jimmie, and not drag me into it."

"I see," I nodded; "I'll tell the boss, when I get a good chance, and you can bet your last dollar he won't tangle you up in it—he isn't put together that way."

"Well, then, good-night," she smiled, giving me her hand. And with that she sort of edged the little girl into the elevator before we could get a chance to shake hands, and I heard her tell the boy to take them up to the mezzanine landing.

By and by, I went down to the station and began to hunt for the Alexa. The boss and Mr. Chadwick were facing each other across the table, which was all littered up with papers and maps and reports, and I dimly noticed me when I blew in and sat down a little to one side.

Just after I broke in, Mr. Norcross jumped up and began to pace back and forth before the table, with his hands in his pockets.

"No, I can't see it, Uncle John," he said, still sort of stubborn and determined. "You are trying to make me believe that I ought to take the biggest job that has ever been set before the expert in any field; to demonstrate, on this rotten corpse of a railroad, the solution of a problem that has the entire country guessing at the present time; namely, the winning of success, and public—and industrial—approval for a carrier corporation which had continuously and persistently broken every commandment in all the decalogues of business; of fair-dealing with its employees; of common honesty with everybody."

Mr. Chadwick nodded. "That is about the size of it," he said.

"I wouldn't say that it can't be done," the boss went on. "Perhaps it is possible, for the right man. But I'm not the right man. You need somebody who can combine the qualities of a pretty brutal slugger with those of a fine-haired, all-things-to-all-men, diplomatic peacemaker. I can do the slugging; I've proved it a time or two in the past. But I'm no good at the other end of the game. When it comes to handling the fellow with a 'pull,' I've either got to smash him or quit. I am too heavy-handed for this job of yours. And as for the other thing—the industrial side of it: that's a large order; a whaling big order. I'm not even prepared to say, off-hand, that it's the right thing to do."

"Right or wrong, it's a thing that is coming, Graham," was the sober reply. "If we don't meet it halfway—well, the time will come when we of the hiring-and-firing side won't be given any option in the matter. You may call it Utopian if you please, and add that I'm growing old and losing my grip. But that doesn't obliterate the fact that the days of the present master-and-man relations in the industries are numbered.

"We'll let it rest until morning and give you a chance to sleep on it. You have spoken only of the difficulties and the responsibilites, Graham; but there is another side to it. In a way, it's an opportunity, carrying with it the promise of the biggest kind of a reward."

"I don't see it," said the boss, briefly.

"Don't you? I do. I have an idea rambling around in my head that it is about time some bright young fellow was showing the people of the United States that a railroad needn't be regarded as an outlaw among the industries; needn't have the enmity of everybody it serves; needn't be the prey of a lot of disloyal and dissatisfied employees who are interested only in the figure of the pay-day check; needn't be shot at as a wolf with a bounty on its scalp. Let it rest at that for the present. Get your hat and we'll walk up-town to the hotel."

When we got out of the car, Mr. Norcross told me to go by the station and have our luggage sent to the hotel.

It was some time after eleven o'clock when I got around to the hotel with the traps, Mr. Chadwick had disappeared, but I saw the boss at the counter waiting for his chance at the clerk. The people melted away at last, all but one—a young swell who would have been handsome if he hadn't had the eyes of a maniac and a color that was sort of corpse-like with the pallor of a booze-fighter. He had his hat on the back of his head, and he was ripping it off at the clerk like a drunken hobo.

It seemed that he had caught a glimpse of somebody he knew—a woman, I took it, because he said "she"—looking down from the rail of the mezzanine, and he wanted to go up to her. And it appeared that the clerk had told the elevator man not to take him up in the present condition.

The boss was growing sort of impatient; I could tell it by the way the little side muscles on his jaw were working. When he got the ear of the clerk for a second or so between cusses, he asked what was the matter with the lunatic. I caught only broken bits of the clerk's half-whisper: "Young Collingwood . . . President Dunton's nephew . . . says a lady . . . mezzanine . . . wants to go up to her."

The boss scowled at the young fellow, who was now handing himself around the corner of the counter to get at the clerk again, and said: "Why don't you ring for an officer and have him run in?"

The night clerk was evidently scared of his job. "I wouldn't dare to do that," he chittered. "He's one of the New York crowd—the railroad people—President Dunton's nephew—guest of the house."

The young fellow had pulled himself around to our side of the counter by this time and was hooking his arm to make a pass at Mr. Norcross, trimming things up as he came with a lot more language. The boss said, right short and sharp, to the clerk, "Get his room key and give it to a boy who can show me the way," and the next thing we knew he had bashed that

Cuffing Him Along to the Nearest Elevator.

lunatic square in the face and was cuffing him along to the nearest elevator.

He came back in a few minutes, looking as cool as a cucumber.

"What did you do with him?" asked the clerk, kind of awed and half scared.

"Got a couple of the corridor sweepers to put him in a bath and turn the cold water on him. That'll take the whisky out of him. Now, if you have a mineral to spare, I'd like to get my assignment."

We hadn't more than got our rooms marked off for us when I saw Mr. Chadwick coming across from the farther end of the three-sided lobby, smiling sort of grim, as if he'd made a killing of some sort with Mr. Dunton, and instead of heading back for his car he took the boss over to a corner of the lobby and sat down to smoke with him.

They didn't seem to be talking anything private, so I sat down just beyond them, so sleepy that I could hardly see straight. Mr. Chadwick was telling about his early experiences in Portal City, how he blew in first on top of the Strathcona gold boom, and how he had known mighty near everybody in the region in those days.

While he was talking, a taxi drove up and one of the old residenters came in from the street and crossed to the elevators; a mighty handsome, stately old gentleman, with fierce white mustaches and a goatee, and "Southern Colonel" written all over him.

"There's one of them now; Major Basil Kendrick—Kentucky born and raised, as you might guess," Mr. Chadwick was saying.

I grabbed at the name, "Basil," right away; it isn't such a very common name, and Mrs. Sheila had said something—under the water tank, you recollect—about a "Cousin Basil" who was to have met her at the train. I was putting two or three little private guesses of my own together, when one of the elevators came down and here came our two, the young lady and the chunky little girl, with the major chuckling and smiling and giving an arm to each. They had apparently stopped at the Bullard only to wait until he could come after them and take them home.

I saw the boss sit up in his chair and stare at them. Then he said: "That's Mrs. Macrae with him now. Is she a member of his family?"

"A second cousin, or something of that sort," said Mr. Chadwick. "I met her once at the major's house out in the northern suburb last summer."

Mr. Norcross let the three of them get out and away, and we heard their taxi speed up and trundle off before he said, "She is married, I'm told. Where is her husband?"

Mr. Chadwick looked up as if he'd already forgotten the three who had just crossed the lobby.

"Who—Sheila Macrae? Yes, she has been married. But there isn't any husband—she's a widow."

For quite a while the boss sat staring at his cigar in a way he has when he is thinking right hard, and Mr. Chadwick let him alone. Then, all of a sudden, the boss got up and shoved his hands into his coat pockets.

"I've changed my mind, Uncle John," he said, looking sort of absent-like out of the window to where the major's taxi had been standing. "If you can pull me into that deal tomorrow morning—with an absolutely free hand to do as I think best, mind you—I'll take the job."

CHAPTER III

The Directors' Meeting

I was up bright and early the next morning, and after breakfast I took a little sashay down Nevada avenue to have a look at our railroad. Of course, I knew, after what the boss had said to Mr. Chadwick the night before, just before we went to bed, that we weren't ever going to see Canada, or even Illinois.

I'll have to admit that the look I got didn't make me feel as if we'd found a Cullinan diamond. Down in the yards everything seemed to be at the loosest kind of loose ends. A switching crew was making up a freight, and the way they slammed the boxes together regardless of broken crawfords and the like, was a sin and a shame.

After a while, after I'd loafed through the shops and around the yard and got a few more whiffs of the decay, I strolled on back to the hotel.

I was wondering a little what had become of the boss—who was generally the earliest riser on the job—when two men came bulging through the screen doors of the cafe, picking their teeth and feeling in their pockets for cigars. Right on the dot, and in the face of knowing that it couldn't possibly be so, I had a feeling that I'd seen those men before. One of them was short and rather stocky, and his face had a sort of hard, bunged up look; and the other was big and barrel-bodied. The short one was clean-shaven, but the other had a reddish-gray beard clipped close on his fat jaws and trimmed to a point at the chin.

After they had lighted up they came along and sat down three or four chairs away from me. They paid no attention to me, but for four they might, I tried to look as sleepy as an all-night bell-hop in a busy hotel.

"The Dunton bunch got together in one of the committee rooms up-stairs a little after eight o'clock," said the short man, in a low, rasping voice that went through you like a buzz-saw. "Thanks to those infernal blunderers Clanahan sent us last night, Chadwick was with them."

"I think that was choost so," said the big man, speaking slowly and with something more than a hint of a German accent. "Beckler was choost what you call him—a tam blunk-ree."

Like a flash it came over me. As I was "listening in" to a talk betwe n the same two men who had sat in the auto at Sand Creek siding and smoked while they were waiting for the actual kidnapers to return. You can bet right that I made myself mighty small and unobtrusive.

After a while the big man spoke again.

"What has Uncle Cleon Chadwick up his sleeve got, do you think?"

"I don't think—I know!" was the snappy reply. "It's one of two things; a receivership—which will knock us into a cocked hat because we can't fool with an officer of the United States court—or a new deal all around in the management."

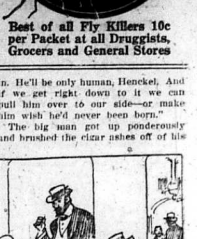
"Which of the two will it be that will come out of that committee room up-stairs?"

"A new management. Dunton can't stand for a receivership, and Chadwick knows it. The securities would be knocked out and the majority holders—Dunton and his bunch—couldn't unload. Chadwick will name the man who is to take Shaffer's place as general manager of the railroad outfit. We might have stood it off for a while, just as I said yesterday, if we could have kept Chadwick from attending this meeting."

"But he didn't could stand it off—what then?"

"We'll have to wait and see, and size up the new man when he blows in. He'll be only human, Henckel, and if we get right down to it we can pull him over to our side—or make him wish he'd never been born."

The big man got up ponderously and brushed the cigar ashes off of his



"You Wait and See What Comes Mit the Commidde Room Out."

bay-window. "You wait and see what comes mit the commiddee room out. I go up to the ovvice."

(To be continued.)

More Like One of Them.

The newly-appointed superintendent of the asylum was strolling round the grounds, when one of the patients exclaimed: "We all like you better than the last man, sir."

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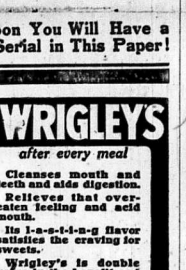

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The Morocco Question

Ever since the fateful winter day, in 1912, that saw the conclusion of the Franco-Spanish treaty in regard to Morocco, the Tetuan Riff has been for Spain a white elephant and an enfant terrible all in one. A glance at the map at once reveals the way of it. Stretching along the coast in the northwest corner of the old Barbary State, territory some 10,000 square miles in extent, lies the Spanish zone, or the Tetuan Riff, to give it its proper title. Spain wanted it very much twelve years ago, when France was establishing her directorate over the rest of the Moorish Sultan's dominions. She had an eye to fire to have France for an immediate neighbor in the south with nothing but the blue stretch of the narrow waters to take the place of the Pyrenees in the north. And in her demand for a zone she had the energetic support of Great Britain. Great Britain at Gibraltar was used to Spain, but France in the full rush of developing a new empire in North Africa was another thing, and quite an unknown quantity. She could not tolerate the rival in command of the seaway between the Pillars of Hercules. The Tetuan Riff must not go to France. So Spain, largely through her geographical position, came into possession of the Spanish zone.

The trouble began almost immediately, not through any particularly bad administration or lack of administration on the part of Spain in the Spanish zone, but rather because of the excellent administration of the French in the French zone. Where the vigor and skill of the born empire builder, Gen. Lyautey, the French High Commissioner, set about the task of winning the country for France. He did his work thoroughly. Law and order were enforced wherever his arm reached, and proclaimed as a rapidly approaching demand far beyond that limit. As a consequence the incorrigible elements which refused to submit fled from him—into the Spanish zone. Once there, safe from the arms of any real authority, they breathed again, collected themselves and, as occasion offered, from the security of another state raided the lands of the French protectorate. The forever availing of troops and treasure to the Riff became like a nightmare to the Spanish people. "The bottomless pit of the Spanish sons" became a phrase that Spanish politicians to conjure with, and ministries rose and fell on their Moroccan policy. With the example of France always before her, Spain, none the less, did not seem able to follow it. The great distinguishing feature of Gen. Lyautey's work in the French zone was his refusal to depend upon fire and sword for the pacification of the country. For him such methods always were the last and not the first resort.

Gen. Primo de Rivera gathered the reins of power in dictatorship into his hands last summer with the declaration that he was going to liquidate the Moroccan problem, y in his hands—there can be no doubt of it—just as Senor Maura had seen before him, and the Count de Romanones before him—that the Riff was indeed a bottomless pit and that the best policy for Spain would be its almost complete abandonment. No statesman since De Rivera had had the courage of his convictions in his respect, and the Spanish dictator shows clearly that he has not. The fact is, of course, that Gen. de Rivera is beginning to see what all the other statesmen saw when they came face to face with the question of putting their theories into practice, says the New York World. Several years ago, Senor Maura said he would be willing to give up the idea of subjugating the zone and was ready to counsel that the positions thus far won would be strongly fortified, and that the general "pacification" of the zone should be left to a slow process of colonization of the zone. The Count de Romanones declared that "if the people insisted" it might be necessary to withdraw the Spanish army altogether.

What Senor Maura and the Count de Romanones did not recognise, or at any rate did not explain, was the fact with which Gen. Primo de Rivera is now faced, namely, that the moment any such policy should be adopted, the whole Moroccan question would be reopened. The terms of the Franco-German-Moroccan agreement of 1911, and the Franco-Spanish agreement of 1912 are quite explicit. Certain portions of Morocco are recognised as being under the protection of Spain. A failure on the part of Spain to exercise her office of protector, either by abandoning the country altogether, or by entrenching herself in certain places and leaving the rest of the territory to make out as best it might, would amount to a virtual repudiation of her obligations; and so, as far as she was concerned, of the treaties themselves.

In addition to this, Gen. de Rivera recognizes that even if Spain could succeed in the second object stated that the "fortification policy" did not amount to a renunciation of her protectorate, the chaos in which the whole country would inevitably be plunged would quickly involve Spain in difficulties with France. With the Spanish zone running, as it did once more the rendezvous for rebels from all over the country, the task of France would be infinitely more difficult than it is at present. Thus, the Spanish Dictator is between the devil and the deep sea.

Sunday School Work.

Sunday school work should include football, cricket, rowing, social gatherings, and classes for study according to a president of a Sunday School Union.

Crushing Retort.

"Hello, dearie," said the fresh young man with a "toothbrush" mustache and dressed to the minute, "a glass of sweet milk and a piece of lemon pie."

"Anything else?" asked the fair but haughty waitress.

"A little speed and a smile, if you don't mind."

"You've got all the speed you need, and as for a smile, look at yourself in one of them mirrors along there wall. If that don't give you a laugh, you ain't got no sense of humor."

IN PRAISE OF MOTHER EARTH.

Love of the Soil Is In Our Blood Says Writer.

To many people the soil may be only an accumulation of "dirt," but their view-point is not that of those who have come near to its ness and felt the tang of newly-turned earth in their nostrils.

Those who live cooped up in cities lose a delicate of which they have no conception in their lack of contact with Mother Earth. There is something in the very feel of the soil upon the skin, whether of hands or feet, that is inexpressibly pleasant, soothing, and healthful. To work barefooted in the fields is the perfect nerve tonic.

Much has been said and written in praise of farm work and gardening, but little has been said of the soil itself. Yet the earth has a poetry of its own. Soil is full of character, as varied as the things which grow from it.

Different soils act and react in many ways on the individuals reared on them. The elastic character of the soil determines the nature of a countryside, so it moulds and forms the nature of the folk who gain their sustenance from its bosom.

The light surface soil of the uplands and the heavy clay deposits of the valley alike leave their indelible impress on the toiler.

It is an event of no small importance when a boy is allowed to assist in seed planting for the first time. Instantly there is aroused within the youthful mind the spirit of wonder and inquiry. Sometimes, indeed, the curiosity carries him too far, and he digs up the seed he has planted to see what progress it has made.

The man who tills the soil, and loves it, comes nearer the heart of Nature than he who encompasses the globe on his journeyings and gives only a passing glance to the various activities which bind a man to a few square perches of soil.

For the workers on the land gets beneath the "dirt's" surface, and becomes at one with the soil he tills.

His sense of observation grows more acute; Nature reveals to him her secrets. His very finger-tips become sensitive to the myriad vibrations of the rich, generous life that throbs and pulses all around him.

At seed-time, as well as at harvest, the earth is beautiful. And though the tiller of the soil is no stranger to the ordinance that by the sweat of his brow he must earn his bread, he still finds joy in every step of his laborious day.

The accumulated pollen dust of long centuries that has now become an integral part of this friendly fertile soil weaves a spell around the worker. Even land which is running to waste has its peculiar charm. Those who have been born on the land of the Manor she yields a crop of her own choosing. There is something fascinating about the wild apple, the blackberry, the wild strawberry, even the dock and the dandelion.

Since time was, the soil has been the mother of mankind and love for it is bred in our blood.

Even those whom the cities have claimed, and who have lived for long years amid the ceaseless roar of the traffic, hemmed in on every side with brick and mortar, can never completely lose the ancient inheritance of the sons of Adam.

They may no longer work in the fields, under the open sky, but they potter around their little gardens, with window-boxes, even perhaps with a flowerpot or two, and find in so doing a pleasure that none of the countless descendants of our modern Babylons can afford.

But sometimes the little garden dwellers feel a great longing for the city dweller-feels a great longing for the open fields and the open sky, for the clean wind that sweeps over the uplands, and the tang of the fertile earth as it is turned up by the plow. He is homesick — homesick for the kindly, fruitful earth which was the cradle and is still the nurse of mankind.

Bars Horses From Busy Streets.

The automobile was given a decided boost in the metropolis of the Land of the Montezumas when the horse drawn vehicles and the picturesque two-wheeled baggage cars were barred from the streets of the downtown districts. The action was taken by the municipal council on the grounds that the wheels of these vehicles ruin the pavements. The action of the council means motor cabs will supplant the old horse coaches in the City of Mexico, and so will the familiar sights will pass into oblivion.

Congestion of traffic, due to slow moving vehicles, figured in the banning of the carts and carriage from the streets.

While there are less than 26,000 automobiles in all Mexico, during the rush hour on the streets of Madero and Cinco de Mayo, the traffic looks as dense as that on any of the busiest streets in the United States.

Dangerous Deliberation.

"A man should always count ten when angry."

"Yaas; safe in Crimson Gulch," replied Cactus Joe. "Before you can count as many as two the other fellow's liable to be through shootin'."—Washington Star.

Most people are heavier in the summer than in the winter.

History of Pawnbroking.

The licensed system used to lend money upon land, and various systems of lending money by means of pledges followed. The business of pawnbroking was regulated in England in 1750, and licenses were issued in 1773.

Ten Centuries of Records.

The oldest registers in England are said to be in Tripton, Staffordshire, Eng., and they date back to 1,000 years old. The town is considering the question of applying for a charter of incorporation.

Giving the Effect.

A real light is rarely hidden under the proverbial bushel, but some keen men keep a bushel to create the belief that it conceals a light.—Albany Journal.

Japanese "Insect Bell."

A natural curiosity of Japan is the "insect bell." This is a basin-bell which emits harmonious sounds like those of a musical box.

THE HOME OF RUNNERS

FINLAND PRODUCES HER SHARE OF ATHLETES.

Out of a Population of 3,500,000 This Baltic Nation Has Taken Twelve First Places In Olympic Games—A Hardy Race.

While the United States by virtue of the total number of prizes won is properly lays claim to the Olympic championship of 1924, the real honors go to Finland, which has won twelve first places, and in the long distance races outstripped all other competitors. Nobody attempts to belittle the performances of Stenroos, the forty-year-old winner of one of the most trying of Marathons; Willie Ritola, who competed in distance runs on five successive days, and Paavo Nurmi, whose string of victories is unsurpassed in ancient or modern Olympic contests. Everybody, on the contrary, is ready to give the Finns full credit, and is wondering how it is that with a population of only 3,500,000, dwelling in the remote Baltic, they can produce so many wonderful athletes. Those who hold to the theory that the Nordics have chosen people of the earth and that they must invariably lead all others either in mental or physical tests cannot cite the Finns as evidence. They are not. Nordics. They are Mongols by ancestry and more closely related to the Turks than to any other Europeans of the present day. They are more akin to Indians than to Englishmen.

Mr. Tom Flanagan of Toronto, the noted athletic authority, has a theory that explains both the Irish successes in the revived Olympic and the feats of the Finns in the contests of 1924. From boyhood they are taught that the greatest of prizes, or, as he says, the equivalent to the Victoria Cross, are those won in athletic competition. The young Irishman of a generation ago, like the Finn to-day, could find no other avenue to general distinction so natural as that of athletic endeavor, and on that account the young Irishmen concentrated themselves upon training and exercise, having, to begin with, the physique for success in tests of strength and skill. It is probably true that there is no matter apart from the necessity of making a living in which the Finns are so keenly interested as athletics. That may be either one of the causes or the result of their victories. They have put the distractions that other countries enjoy, and circumstances have indicated to them the wisdom of specializing in their sports. They have produced great wrestlers and discus throwers, but it is in long-distance running that they excel.

One reason why the Finns have not taken to short races is that there are few cinder paths in the country. Another reason is that great sprinters, as a rule, begin their training when they are schoolboys. While Finland has no such schools that the percentage of illiteracy is the lowest in Europe, the schools do not go in for athletics. They specialize in gymnastics and spend a lot of football derived from England. Clubs which the youths join after leaving school are the backbone of Finland's athletic system. They exist in all parts of the country even in little villages within the Arctic circle. The long-distance races are popular because a champion need not begin as a youth if his aim is to win a Marathon. He can wait until he reaches maturity before definitely beginning to train, except jogging along the road. The country being not thickly populated and motors not numerous, the old custom of using the legs to pay visits to neighbors is one that is long established and those who practice it are not looked down upon.

We must credit the Finns with that natural hardihood possessed by people whose seasons are divided into nine months winter and three months cool weather. Some of the earlier historians declared that the treatment applied to the Finnish babies made it impossible for any but the hardiest to survive. Tacitus described them as steeped in poverty, clad in skins, using herbs and sleeping on the ground. They had neither arms nor horses, and this may have had something to do with developing their legs for both flight and purposes of travelling. Other travellers reported their astonishment at seeing groups of Finns cutting outdoors naked. It was explained that they had just emerged from steam baths and chose this method of cooling off. The steam bath produced by pouring boiling water upon stones, is a national institution. The scouring is achieved by rods and coarse cloths, and buckets of cold water are employed by those who do not sit outside until they regain their normal temperature. It is also worth noting that the Finns, and not the Swedes, were the inventors of the ski and that in winter skiing is almost universal among them, a fact which has an athletic significance.

But it is remarkable that the Finns have practically no athletic traditions. Like all other races, of course, they have their mythological heroes renowned for their strength. Athletics have never a passion with them, as they were once with the Greeks, and as they have become later with English-speaking people. Their sacred book, "The Kalevala," an epic poem which purports to trace the origin of the race, is silent upon long-distance running. At the first revival of the Olympic games in 1896 there were no Finnish athletes. In 1904, Finland entered a few men and distinguished a point or two, but it was not until 1912 that the country became prominent as a home of athletes. The proximity of Stockholm where the games were held no doubt resulted in a large number of ambitious Finns entering. Their success was a surprise to them and since then they have been mad about athletics.

Pearl Fishers in Sea All Year.

The women pearl fishers of Japan commence their work at the age of fourteen and are in the water almost all the year round, except in the coldest season, from the end of December to the beginning of February.

Chinese Deeds and Leases.

It is reported that Chinese property deeds or leases often have 100 signatures. The reason is that land is often owned by syndicates and agreements must be signed by every member of an organization.

WORKING GIRL'S EXPERIENCE

Read How She Found Help in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Arnprior, Ontario.—"I must write and tell you my experience with your medicine. I was working at the factory for three years and became so run-down that I used to take weak spells and would be at home at least one day each week. I was treated by the doctors for anemia, but it didn't seem to do me any good. I was told to take a rest, but was unable to, and kept on getting worse. I was troubled mostly with my periods. I would sometimes pass three months, and when it came it would last around two weeks, and I would have such pains at times in my right side that I could hardly walk. I am only 19 years of age and weigh 118 pounds now, and before taking the Vegetable Compound I was only 108 pounds. I was sickly for two years and some of my friends told me about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and when I had taken a bottle of it I felt a change. My mother has been taking it for a different ailment and has found it very satisfactory. I am willing to tell friends about the medicine and to answer letters asking about it."—Miss HAZEL BEANDY, Box 709, Arnprior, Ontario.

A day out each week shows in the pay envelope. If you are troubled with some weakness, indicated by a run-down condition, tired feelings, pains and irregularity, let Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound help you.

Killing Precious Tradition.

Government officials are too matter-of-fact altogether. Now they've gone and shot another popular and romantic notion all to pieces, writes a Cobalt correspondent. The hammer-throwing blacksmith, Fred La Rose, whose chance shot at a passing fox is often given credit for the first discovery of silver at Cobalt, attains no such distinction in the booklet which the Ontario Department of Mines has prepared for distribution at the British Empire Exhibition.

"It is the fashion," reads, in part, this disturbing document, "to say that a French-Canadian blacksmith named Fred La Rose, whose business it was to sharpen the drills of a railway construction gang, threw a piece of steel at a prowling fox, and, on recovering his missile, found that it had knocked off a fragment of reddish, copperlike mineral, which proved to be niccolite or kupfernickel, subsequently found to be associated with native silver."

This was at Long Lake, subsequently called Cobalt. In the fall of 1908, and La Rose made application for staking on Sept. 29 of that year. But, the department says, James H. McKinley and Duncan Darragh, woodsmen, had found silver on Aug. 7, although they did not file notice of discovery until Oct. 6. The booklet recalls that mining men regarded the occurrence as a freak and refused to take the discoveries seriously until Dr. Willet G. Miller demonstrated to even the most skeptical that one of the grey ... silver areas the world has known had been stumbled upon.

New Dominion Senator.

The Hon. Clifford William Sifton, who has been appointed a Senate of Canada, in succession to the late Hon. W. H. Thorne, is a well known lawyer of Moncton, N.B., in which city he was born on October 1, 1866, the son of William J. Robinson and Margaret, daughter of William Pugsley. He was for numerous, the being Canadians of English extraction.

In June, 1897, he was elected to the New Brunswick Legislature, of was re-elected in 1899, 1902, 1903 and 1911. He was Speaker of the Assembly in 1907, and 1908, the next year became a member of the Government without portfolio, later becoming Solicitor-General. On May, 1907, he was appointed to the Finnish bench, the resignation of Hon. W. Pugsley, but his party being defeated at the elections the following June, he resigned office, but remained his seat in the House. Upon the formation of the Foster Cabinet, Mr. Robinson was again taken in the Government without portfolio, later being allotted the portfolio of Lands and Mines. He was re-elected in 1911, and, finally, on October 2, 1890, Annie M. Hixon, of Hertfordshire, England.

Apple puddings and marmalade tarts, two typically British dishes, are becoming popular in France.

"Carpenter's the Name."

It was during the last visit to Toronto of the Flonzaley String Quartette—the scene the King Edward owes standing with the Finnish bride the vivacious lady clerk and a tall, ascetic-looking guest of the house, English unmistakably.

"Could you find out for me what hour to-night's concert begins?" he had asked.

She told him.

"Ah, thanks awfly," said he. "You have a couple of seats here for me; you might let me have them—Carpenter's the name."

Tickets were forthcoming.

"You're not Carpentier, the fighter?" the saleslady smilingly challenged.

"My word, no!" the tall young music-lover assured her, returning the smile with interest. "I've been in Canada for a day only."

He was Captain Varpenter, V.C., the hero of Zeebrugge.

Drink for Long Life.

Dr. Raymond Pearl, of Johns Hopkins University, in a report to the National Academy of Science at Washington, states that the moderate consumer of alcohol outlives the total abstainer.

Dr. Pearl has compiled tables as the outcome of years of study, showing the definite demarcation in favor of moderate drinkers over abstainers. He shows also that heavy drinkers are the poorest life risk.

Good Night!

"Don't you think that if I had lived in the olden days I would have made a good night?" asked the young man who had bored her for hours describing a cinema picture he had seen.

"I don't care so much what you would have made then," observed the girl, wearily, "but you might try to see what kind of a good night you can make now."

LICE INFESTING FOWLS

Vermin Are a Source of Great Loss to Poultrymen

The Various Species Named and Described—As Affecting Chickens, Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Pigeons —Stable Ventilation — Carrying Young Pigs Along.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

Losses due to infestations of the various forty species of lice that infest domestic fowl are the aggregate many thousands of dollars annually to the poultry-keepers of Ontario. Small insects working out of sight of the human eye, their presence is often unsuspected until the birds show unthriftiness, loss in weight, lower egg production, and reduced vitality, causing the owner to make an examination. If the examination is thorough, lice are generally found in the great majority of flocks. A few may not be serious, but if the little crawlers are permitted to increase to thousands the effect on the poultry-keeping part of the farm business is serious. Infested birds present a droopy and unkempt appearance, the wings lowered, the feathers ruffled, and the birds may suffer from diarrhea.

Infesting Chickens.

Of the forty species that infest fowl, seven have a decided preference for and infest chickens. The body louse "Menopon biseriatum," is light louse "Menopon biseriatum," is light yellow in color and sticks pretty close to the skin. It lays its eggs in large clusters on the small feathers below the vent. It takes about three weeks from egg to maturity. The species sticking close to the skin and feeding thereon is very irritating. The "Menopon pallidum" is similar to the preceding, only somewhat smaller and has the habit of spending its life on the feathers. It is not so irritating and deposits its eggs singly at the base of the feathers. The head louse "Lipeurus heterographus" is commonly found on the head and neck of young chickens. It is dark grey in color, deposits its eggs singly on the down about the head of the chick. It takes about one week to reach the hatching stage and two weeks for the young louse to grow to maturity.

The large hen louse "Goniocotes abdominalis," sometimes called the "blue louse," is smoky or bluish grey and one-third larger than the preceding. It sticks close to the body, may be found anywhere and is easily recognized by its size and large round head.

The wing louse "Lipeurus caponis" is a small, long and slender species with a large rounded head. It confines its activities to the wing feathers.

Two other species, the "fluff louse" and the "brown louse," are rarely present in numbers. Both inhabit the body feathers.

Infesting Turkeys.

Two species are commonly found on turkeys, the "Goniodes stylifer" and the "Lipeurus polytrapezius." The "Goniodes stylifer" is the most common. It is a large louse bearing some resemblance to the large hen louse, and may be distinguished from it by having the posterior angles of the head extended backward and terminating in long bristles.

Ducks and Geese.

Three species infest ducks and geese to a limited extent, the oily nature of the skin of waterfowl being a good preventive against these external parasites. The species commonly found are "Docophorus icterodes," a very small parasite, and the "Lipeurus squalidus," a long, slender, yellowish colored louse.

Pigeons.

These birds are frequently infested with one or all three species—"Lipeurus baculus," "Goniodes damicornis" and "Goniocotes compar."

Methods of controlling these vermin will be given in a later issue.—L. Stevenson, Dept. of Extension, O. A. C., Guelph.

Stable Ventilation.

When planning the changes to be made in the farm stables next season, give the question of ventilation first consideration. Animal life's dependent upon oxygen. Food that is eaten would never be of service to animals or to humans if it were not oxidized or combined with oxygen in the body. Fire cannot burn without air, and food cannot be "burned" in the body without air. It is strange that so much time and study have been expended on the problems of breeding and feeding, and that so little attention has been given to that most important demand in the life of a domesticated animal—pure air. Plan the stable so that it will have that pure air will be available to the animals every hour of the day. So says a stevenson of the Ontario Agricultural College.

Carrying Young Pigs Along.

Nature's tonics for young, growing pigs are exercise, sunshine, plenty of green succulent feed, and clean surroundings. Success with the litter, therefore, will depend on getting the sow and pigs on pasture as soon as possible. It is just as important to the health and thrift of the little that the mother get exercise as it is for the pigs.

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During the second week of September there will be many visitors to Napanee and District Old Boys' and Girls' Reunion. They will miss the faces of many of their dear old friends who have passed away, and will look up their last resting place in our beautiful cemeteries. If you have not placed a monument, or Marker, to show where they lie, call and select one from our large assortment, and let us erect it for you before Sept. 8.

Napanee Marble & Granite Works
Wm. M. Howitt.

At the Napanee Cheese Board on Saturday over 1000 cheese were offered and all sold at 16 11-16 cents.

Private sale of household furniture at the home of Mr. R. J. Dickinson, Adelphi St., from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day.

Word was received in Napanee Saturday that Harry Dunning had passed away in the hospital, Toronto. Mr. Dunning had been ill for a considerable time. Mrs. Leonard McCabe, Napanee, is a sister.

The Lennox and Addington Plebiscite Committee have rented the vacant Kimmerly building, on Dundas street, opposite J. L. Boyes', and have fitted it up for an office. Any information relative to the campaign, can be received here. Write or phone for information to Rev. A. J. Wilson, Secretary.

All ye good people of Napanee, do you know that Picton Fair is going to be the greatest ever this year. Greatest in point of attractions. Greatest in point of exhibits. Greatest in point of attendance. Greatest in everything that goes to make a good Fair, so we advise all our readers to take in the Str. Brockville's excursion to Picton Fair on Wednesday, Sept. 24th. The boat leaves Napanee at 9.00 a.m. Fare for round trip 75 cents.

ANOTHER ESTATE GOES.

One of the Strangest Romances of the Peerage.

The sale the other day of the historic estate of Lanton, in Berkshire by Col. Grenville Gavin, recalls one of the strangest romances of the Scottish peerage. He the colonel is Lord and second heir of Lady Kinloss, daughter of the last Duke of Buckingham and Chandos and who inherited from him his barony of Kinloss created by James VI. of Scotland She is therefore a peeress in her own right.

The Langton property, which is very valuable, came to the gallant colonel through another and less patrician ancestor, from Alexander Gavin, the gravedigger and sexton of the parish church of the village of Lunan, in Forfarshire, who lived in the early part of the eighteenth century.

The fishing village of Lunan is situated on Lunan Bay, and one wild night a Dutch vessel was totally wrecked. Among the few saved was the badly injured skipper, who was carried up to old Sexton Gavin's cottage and was there nursed back to health. During the course of a stay of many weeks he fell in love with the sexton's pretty daughter, Katherine, married her in the parish church and took her back to Holland with him, where in the course of time he made a fortune in trade at Rotterdam.

Katherine's brother, Alexander Gavin, succeeded his father and had a son of the name of David, who while quite a young man joined his uncle and aunt in Holland. He became a partner in their business, made a large fortune of his own, besides inheriting all the riches of his aunt and uncle, and thereupon returned to Scotland.

David Gavin's first care was to provide most liberally for the comfort of his parents and in 1758 he purchased from the historic Cockburn family its ancestral estate of Langton, in Forfarshire. In 1770 he married Lady Betty Maitland, a daughter of the seventh Earl of Lauderdale. His only daughter by this marriage became Marchioness of Breadalbane. She left the Langton estate and the large Gavin fortune to her elder daughter, Lady Elizabeth Pringle, her younger daughter being Mary Duchess of Buckingham.

Lady Pringle had two daughters, each of whom succeeded in turn to the Langton estate and to the Gavin fortune, and, leaving the Gavin, the Langton estates and the Gavin fortune then went to Mary Duchess of Buckingham's granddaughter, Lady Kinloss, on the condition that she assumed the Gavin name and the armorial bearings which David Gavin, the gravedigger's grandson, had secured from the crown when he married Lord Lauderdale's daughter, Lady Betty Maitland.

As Lady Kinloss was unwilling to make the change, she waived her rights of succession to the property in favor of her son Thomas, who is now known as Col. Grenville Gavin, D.S.O. His eldest brother, Richard, the master of Kinloss, was killed as a captain of the Life Brigade in the great war, and the next son, the present master of Kinloss, is a somewhat eccentric clergyman.

To Fishermen.

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PERSONALS

All our readers are cordially invited to hand in, or send in, any news they may have for this column.

Mrs. G. A. Wallace has gone to Toronto.

Mr. Fred Cliff, Toronto, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Cliff.

Mr. Robert Dugan, Newburgh, has returned from a trip through Western Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Root left on Sunday for Los Angeles, Cal., where they expect to make their future home.

Mr. Victor Cowling Spent the week-end in Toronto. Messrs. Andrew and Orval Madden accompanied him.

Mrs. A. R. Boyes and daughter, Shibley, Passadena, Cal., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boyes.

Miss Agnes Loyst is teaching school at Castleton, Ont.

Mr. G. W. Gilbert, Bracebridge, Ohio, is visiting friends in Deseronto and Napanee.

Mrs. John Armstrong, Buffalo, N.Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Snook, South River Road.

Mrs. McNulty, Detroit, Mich., spent last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Normile.

Miss Fraser, Westmount, Que., is the guest of Mrs. W. T. Wallis.

Mr. W. E. Boyes and Mr. and Mrs. E. Boyes, Lachine, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt and Mrs. Garriner, who have been guests of Mrs. D. W. Lucas, returned to Freeport, L.I., on Tuesday.

Master Bill Daly left last week to enter the R.M.C. at Kingston.

Mrs. F. H. Carson, Toronto, spent last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tucker, Toronto, spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. Dr. Stratton.

At the evening service in Grace Church on Sunday, Mr. Chas. Stevens, of Milkaukee, delighted the audience with a cornet solo.

Miss Edith Hodgson spent a few days with her sister, Miss Doris Rikley, Hayburn.

Miss Helen Sawyer, Albany Ave, Toronto, spent the past week in Napanee the guest of Miss Madeline Stevens.

Dr. Wilson Huff and Mrs. Higby and daughter, Miss Delilah and Mr. Freeman Persall, Rome, N.Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bartlett last week.

Mr J. Jones Johnston, New York, spent Reunion week with his brother, Mr. Jess Johnston, Adolphustown.

Mrs. Coleman is visiting her son, Rev. H. Ker Coleman, in Parham.

Rev. J. H. H. Coleman preached at the Harvest Festival services in Merrickville and Burritt's Rapids on Sunday.

Mrs. Halliday, Belleville, was renewing acquaintances in Napanee last week.

Miss Bessie Smith, of Enterprise, is visiting friends in Toronto, and Detroit, Mich.

Master Russell Stevens was the guest of Capt. Carl A. Johnson at the Scout Camp held in Toronto during the Exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. A. U. Snyder and Mr. Snyder, Sr., Watertown, N.Y., were in Napanee last week for the Old Boys' Reunion.

C. L. Gordon and family, of Kingston, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. McLaughlin on Sunday. Mrs. Gordon and baby remaining in Napanee for a few days.

Mrs. Thomas Williamson and four daughters, of Detroit, are spending a few days at the home of her brother, Mr. Manson Stevens. Mr. Williamson accompanied his wife but returned to his work on Wednesday.

Capt. C. A. Johnson, Scout Leader, Toronto, Russell Stevens and six Toronto Scouts established "Poplar Point Camp" on property owned by Mr. Chas. O'Neil, Beaver Lake. Here the boys enjoyed two weeks of camp life.

DEATHS

Hudgins—At Selby, on Wednesday, Sept. 10th, 1924, Esther Ann Hudgins, beloved wife of Mr. Ira B. Hudgins, aged 79 years, 7 months.

Vine—At Napanee, on Tuesday, Sept. 16th, 1924, Eliza Saul, wife of Mr. Wm. Vine, aged 71 years.

Lure of Gaming Table.

Betting and gambling are the most selfish vices; they harden the heart, they destroy the kindly sentiments of human nature; for when the lust of pecuniary gain takes possession of a man, there is nothing that will stand in the way of his self-gratification. What a picture of an unhappy gambler's life has Dickens painted in the "Old Curiosity Shop!" A casual visitor to the casino at Monte Carlo will probably turn away, at least on his first visit, with a feeling akin to horror at the spectacle of the gamblers, and among them of the young girls, whose hardened faces show no deep an absorption in the play that they scarcely seem to give a thought to a fellow-gambler who has lost his all and, rising from the table, goes out into the grounds and shoots himself.

Kipling's Slogan.

Rudyard Kipling is rather hard to approach for literary favors, says Elijah True in John o' London's Weekly, who seems to be unaware of the great poet's favor in writing the inscription for Sault Ste. Marie's memorial for the Great War, but when boys or soldiers ask him he is amiability itself. He recently heard that a company of the American Legion had adopted as its motto his lines: "Simple service, simply given, to his own kind in the common need." He wrote out the whole verse and sent it back with his signature, and now that company of the American Legion are proudly showing it at their headquarters, thus:

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Not as a witness to any creed,
But simple service, simply given,
To his own kind in the common need.

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